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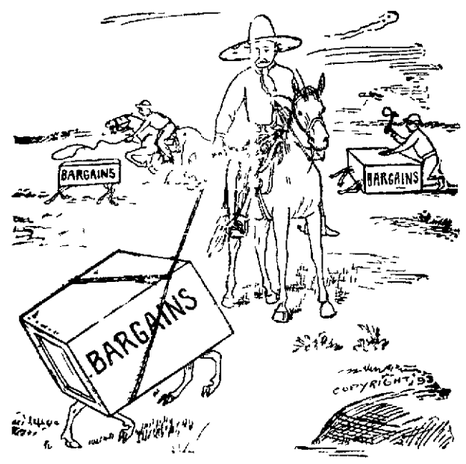

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3 year old trotting stake 7 entries,	200
2 year old pacing stake, 11 entries,	300
2 22 trotting stake, 13 entries,	1,000
2 10 class trotting, closes Aug 21,	500

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31.

3-year old trotting stake, 14 entries,	$ 400
Free for all pace, closes Aug. 21,	500
2 10 trotting stake, 26 entries	1 000
2 18 class trotting, closes Aug. 21	500

FRIDAY, SETEMBER 1.

3-year old pacing stake, 13 entries	400
Free for all trotting, closes Aug. 21,	500
2 25 pacing stake, 18 entries.....	1,000

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THE EXTRA SESSION.

A Queer Specimen of Orthography, Writing and Ideas.

AID FOR THE MIDWINTER EXPOSITION.

Mr. Morrill's Speech—Mr Voorhees Throws His Bomb Into the Camp of the Free-Coiners—The Silver Debate Continued.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON Aug 21—Among the numerous petitions presented in the senate this morning was one remarkable specimen as to orthography, writing and ideas which was presented by Mr Peffer (pop Kan) It gives the views of some of the agriculturist and laboring classes of a neighborhood in Illinois on the subject of finances It was referred as are all the others on the same subject to the committee on finance Mr Peffer also offered a substitute for the bill to increase the national bank circulation

Mr Stewart (rep Nev) offered a resolution, which was agreed to calling on the secretary of the treasury for a statement as to the silver bullion purchased in July 1893 with the prices and as to the silver bullion offered for sale in the same month with the prices asked

The finance committee bill (reported last Friday) discontinuing the purchase of silver bullion was then taken up so as to afford Mr Morrill (rep Vt) an opportunity of addressing the senate on the bill He first however asked and obtained indefinite leave of absence remarking that he was in the senate chamber to-day against the advice of his physician He then proceeded to read from slips his speech bearing the motto Sound Money Cheats Nobody

At the close of Mr Morrill's speech which occupied a little over an hour Mr Voorhees presented the letter addressed to him by the secretary of the treasury showing the probable cost of silver at a standard ratio and had it read by the clerk saying that he deemed it his duty to lay it before the senate and country [The letter was sent out Sunday night by the United Press and published yesterday afternoon]

The bill to aid the Midwinter national exposition at San Francisco was taken up and passed

Mr Vance (dem N C) chairman of the committee on privileges and elections suggested that the vote on the Lee Mantle case which was to be taken at 5 p m to day should go over until the same hour to morrow but as Mr Voorhees expressed a desire to address the senate to-morrow on the bill to discontinue the purchase of silver bullion it was agreed that the vote on the Lee Mantle case should be taken at 5 o clock on Wednesday

The Lee Mantle case involving the right of a governor of a state to appoint a senator when the state legislature has failed to act was taken up

Mr Vance argued against the right of appointment in such cases He argued that the danger or the inconvenience supposed to arise from the senate not being always full was not to be compared for a moment to the danger which would ensue if the practice were allowed of filling the senate with members not entitled to sit in it by the prescriptions of the constitution It is that temple of American liberties no man should be permitted to enter except by the door of the constitution The fathers had doubtless in mind (providing the way by which the senate might be entered) the divine wisdom saying Verily verily I say unto you he that entered not by the door into the sheepfold but climbeth up by some other way the same is a thief and a robber But he that entereth in by the door is the shepherd of the sheep

Mr George (dem Miss) also argued against the right of governors to appoint senators to fill vacancies occurring by the expiration of a previous term—such right being confined by the constitution to vacancies happening by resignation or otherwise

At the close of Mr George's speech the senate proceeded to the discussion of executive business and at 4 o clock adjourned

HOUSE

After the reading of the journal Mr Powers (rep Vt) took the floor in support of the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman act He referred to the Chicago platform and to the interpretation placed upon it by various democrats The gentleman from Pennsylvania Mr Bibley had referred the Saviour of mankind as the first democrat and had taken the utterances of the Saviour as his platform The gentleman from Massachusetts Mr Everett had taken Grover Cleveland as his platform and had gone around his district singing at the top of his voice, Oh Isn't He a Dandy?

Mr Powers went on to argue that the purchasing clause of the Sherman bill was vicious in principle and dangerous in application If free coinage were adopted the gold bugs could corner the market just as easily as they could to day It did not do merely to say that the republican party was responsible for it The only solution of the problem was to at once suspend the coinage of silver which the world had discarded until we could bring the world to its senses Then the nations of the world would come to recognize that there was not enough gold in the world to act as currency and they would come to a bimetallic basis

Mr Hooker (dem Miss) opposed the unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause The president spoke about restoring confidence Where was confidence lacking? It was not in the great masses of the people It was in the money centers of this country that they locked up money If labor was distressed it was attributable to the action of the banks The repeal of the Sherman law would not restore trade or commerce nor would it relieve the wage earners The present depression was not attributable so much to the Sherman act as the McKinley act He would admit that the free coinage of silver would not give absolute relief but he contended that it would give relief to a very great extent

The debate was then suspended to allow the speaker to announce the standing and select committees for the present congress

Following is a list of committees with the chairman of each

Elections—Mr O Farrell of Virginia

Ways and Means—Mr Wilson of West Virginia

Appropriations—Mr Sayres of Texas

The Judiciary—Mr Culberson, of Texas

Coinage Weights and Measures—Mr Bland of Missouri

Banking and Currency—Mr Springer of Illinois

Foreign Affairs—Mr McCreary of Kentucky

Inter-state and Foreign Commerce — Mr Wise of Virginia

Rivers and Harbors—Mr Blanchard, of Louisiana

Merchant Marine and Fisheries—Mr Pithian, of Illinois.

Agriculture—Mr Hatch of Missouri

Military Affairs—Mr Outhwaite of Ohio

Naval Affairs—Mr Cummings of New York

Post Offices and Post Roads—Mr Henderson, of North Carolina.

Public Lands—Mr McRae, of Arkansas

Indian Affairs—Mr Holman, of Indiana

Territories—Mr Wheeler of Alabama.

Railroads and Canals—Mr Catchings of Mississippi

Private Land Claims—Mr Pendleton of West Virginia.

Mines and Mining—Mr Page, of Rhode Island

Manufactures—Mr Woodcock of Michigan.

Public Grounds—Mr Hankhead, of Alabama.

Pacific Railroads—Mr Reilly, of Pennsylvania.

Leaves and Improvements of the Mississippi River—Mr Allen, of Mississippi

Education—Mr Enloe, of Tennessee.

Labor—Mr McGann, of Illinois.

Militia—Mr Forman of Illinois.

Patents—Mr Covert of New York.

Invalid Pensions—Mr Martin of Indiana.

Pensions—Mr Moses, of Georgia.

Claims—Mr Bunn of North Carolina

War Claims—Mr Boltzhoover of Pennsylvania

District of Columbia—Mr Heard of Missouri

Revision of the Laws—Mr Ellis of Kentucky

On Expenditures in the State Department—Mr Lester of Virginia

Expenditures in Treasury Department—Mr Hermann of Wisconsin

Expenditures in War Department—Mr Montgomery of Kentucky

Expenditures in Navy Department—Mr McMillin of Tennessee

Expenditures in Post Office Department—Mr Oates of Alabama

Expenditures in Interior Department—Mr Turner of Georgia

Expenditures in Department of Justice—Mr Dunlap of New York

Expenditures in Department of Agriculture—Mr Edmonds of Vermont

Expenditures on Public Buildings—Mr Crain of Texas

Library—Mr Fellows of North Carolina.

Printing—Mr Richardson of Tennessee

Civil Service—Mr De Forest of Connecticut

Election of President and Vice President—Mr Fitch of New York

Ventilation and Acoustics—Mr Shell of South Carolina

Alcoholic Liquor Traffic—Mr English of New Jersey

Irrigation of Arid Lands—Mr Cooper, of Indiana

Immigration and Naturalization—Mr Geissenhaimer of New Jersey

Then on motion of Mr Bland Saturday next was set apart for general debate of the Wilson bill instead of debate under the five minute rule

Mr Cooper (dem Ind) spoke in opposition to the free coinage of silver He would rather favor a policy which would give the country a safe recognized stable currency than enter upon experiments at this time If congress repealed the purchasing clause it would not strike down nor kill silver In his opinion it would lift up silver and make it the equal of gold It would strike down the silver industry but not the silver money He then argued in support of the proposition to repeal the tax on state banks

Mr Alexander (dem Ala) advocated free silver coinage and spoke for a larger currency If some relief were not given to the country there might be trouble But he did not think the repeal of the Sherman act nor the abolition of tax upon state banks would give this relief

Mr Sherry (dem. Conn) opposed free coinage and advocated the Wilson bill He called attention to the fact that when the ratio of 16 to 1 was adopted the fight was upon the question whether the ratio should be 15½ to 1 or 16 to 1 Now the silver men did not seem to care whether the ratio should be 16 or 20

Mr Cox (dem Tenn) argued against the pending bill and recounted the hardships to which the people of his district had been subjected since the war Never by his votes nor his voice would mother feather weight be placed upon their heads He was speaking, he said in behalf of the poor colored men of his country The gentlemen on the other side might claim control of the negroes but at last the negroes had got to this side

Mr Chickering (rep, N Y) asked if that was the reason the gentleman spoke for them

Mr Cox replied that he had come to the conclusion that the negroes constituted the best part of the republican party

Mr Seeds (dem N C) said that in his canvass he had opposed the free coinage of silver. The furthest that he would go was the coinage of the American product He believed that every laboring class of his state is not for free coinage but simply for the increase of the circulation of the country but he was not in favor of an increase of currency that did not increase with sound and good money [Applause] He was in favor of bimetalism he was not in favor of striking down silver but he stood unalterably opposed to the free coinage of silver in the absence of an international agreement He would record his vote against the amendments of the gentlemen from Missouri (Mr Bland) and would vote for the Wilson bill [Applause]

The house then at 5 o clock took a recess until 8 o clock

EVENING SESSION

In the evening session Mr Lauren (dem S C) addressed the house in opposition to the Wilson bill and in favor of the free coinage of silver

The republican party he said had been swept out of power but the breeze which had swept it out of power would be nothing to the cyclone which would sweep the country if the democrats were unfaithful to the pledges of the platform upon which they had been elected

Mr McDonald (dem Ill) said that he was in favor of the free coinage of gold and silver in any ratio that might be acceptable But the government should have the privilege of paying every dollar it owed in coin That was the only method of restoring the parity of the two metals

Mr Bartlett (dem, N Y) said that with the message of the president he was in thorough accord He represented a farming constituency a toiling constituency a laboring constituency a hustling constituency, and all demanded that the purchasing clause be unqualifiedly repealed Without international agreement there could be but one standard and he was in favor of that standard and to day that standard was gold

Mr Stockdale (dem Miss) argued that the Sherman bill had little to do with the present stagnation of business but that it was due primarily to the tariff He liked the east but the people of the south would not forsake their own interests in order to benefit the east or the west In 1897 the democrats would come here with a democratic president and a democratic house and a democratic senate and it would take the free coinage of silver home with it [Applause]

The house then at 11 10 adjourned

TAKING GREELEY'S ADVICE.

"The Way to Resume is to Resume"—Many Idle Mills Start Up

PITTSBURGH, Pa, Aug 21—There is plenty of smoke issuing from the chimneys of many iron mills this morning in the vicinity of Pittsburgh The Sligo works of Phillips, Nimick & Co went into full operation Three thousand men are at work at Jones & Laughton's, and every department is at work except four mills and the sheet-iron rolls The United States Iron and Tin Plate Co's works are in partial operation, as is also the Lockhard Iron and Steel Co at Chartiers. The Black Diamond steel works started up in full, giving employment to 4,000

Outside of the city there was a partial resumption at reduced wages at the National tube works at McKeesport. Three open-hearth furnaces were placed in operation at the Carnegie Homestead plant The Oliver Coke Furnace Co fired 1,500 ovens at Uniontown, this morning, employing 800

Before the end of the week it is expected that other large plants will be placed in operation

Coming to Their Senses.

CHICAGO, Aug 22—Western lines have unanimously agreed to make rates of one fare for the round trip from all points in Illinois for Illinois day They have also agreed to make the same rates on all state days at the fair

Run Down and Sunk.

DULUTH, Minn, Aug 22.—The steam launch Elida was run down in the harbor late Sunday night by the steamer Lucila and sunk Lewis Windle, 19, was drowned Judge Winde escaped

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

IN THE DRAG-NET.

The Officials of the Defunct Indianapolis National Bank

LANDED IN JAIL BY MARSHAL FOLEY

Charged with Embezzlement and Knowingly Misapplying Funds of the Bank in Advancing Money Upon Worthless Securities.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind, Aug 22—At 6 o'clock last night Deputy United States Marshal Foley started out with a drag net after the wreckers of the Indianapolis national bank, and by 7 o'clock he had landed Theodore Haughey, president of the bank, Schuyler C Haughey his son, president of the Indianapolis glue works and Indianapolis curled hair works, to which two concerns and their employes and officers the bank advanced $462,000, Francis B Coffin, president of the Indianapolis cabinet works, to which concern directly and indirectly the bank advanced $357 000, Percival H Coffin, secretary of the cabinet works, and Albert S Reed, treasurer of the same The affidavits upon which the warrants were issued were sworn to by Receiver Edward Hawkins, of the defunct bank

Theodore P Haughey is charged with embezzlement and knowingly misapplying funds of the bank, in advancing money upon worthless securities All the rest are charged with embezzlement and aiding and abetting in the misapplication of funds. They were taken at once before United States Commissioner Van Buren, where they gave bond, and their hearing was set for August 28 The bond of each was fixed at $5 000, and the prisoners had no trouble in getting sureties Each of them except Reed refused to talk, declaring that the matter was now in the hands of their attorneys Reed declared that all the money the cabinet works had gotten had been expended honestly by increasing its business

It was declared that the prosecutions would be pushed to the utmost, but there was a disposition shown to rather exonerate E E Rexford the cashier, who signed the false statement of July 12 He said he was raised in the bank, and simply obeyed without question Haughey's request to sign the statement.

It is understood that the comptroller proposes to reach out and gather in everybody it is possible to get at, and this will take in the two directors who, with Haughey and Rexford signed the statement of July 12 One of these is Charles F Meyer, a wholesale cigar dealer, and the other is R B F Peirce, ex congressman, and at present managing trustee of the Indianapolis, Decatur & Western railroad

RETURNING CONFIDENCE

Suspended Banks Reopened by Permission of the Comptroller

WASHINGTON, Aug 22—The Citizens' national bank of Indianapolis, Ind, which suspended June 12 has complied with the conditions of the comptroller of the currency, and, the capital stock being unimpaired has been permitted to reopen its doors for business.

DENVER Col, Aug 22—The Union and People's national banks, which suspended on July 18th and 19th respectively, opened their doors for business at the regular hour yesterday morning, they having complied with all the requirements of the comptroller of the currency

DENVER, Col, Aug 22—The Central national bank at Pueblo, and the Greely national bank at Greely will probably open next Monday

A SAD PLEASURE CAMP.

One Brother Accidentally Shoots and Kills Another

OIL CITY Pa, Aug 22—A S Smith, of McClintocksville, went into camp with his family on the banks of the Allegheny river near Oleopolis, Saturday Sunday evening Paul Smith, one of the boys, discharged a load of buckshot from a gun into a clump of bushes near the river The younger brother, Albert was missed from the camp A search resulted in finding him dead in the bushes into which the shot had been fired He had been instantly killed

Assigned.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind, Aug 22—The Standard Manufacturing Co, at 243 251 Virginia avenue, made a deed of assignment yesterday afternoon to the Union Trust Co. The deed assigns the plant on Virginia avenue, all the machinery used in the manufacture of bicycles, notes, accounts, etc The aggregate of the assets is believed to be about $60,000 The liabilities, members of the company say, cannot be accurately determined at this time, but they are believed to be in the aggregate less than the assets The company has been doing a large business in the manufacture of bicycles The plant was established less than two years ago.

Refused to Accept a Reduction.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 22.—Because of an effort to reduce wages 10 per cent., sixteen butchers, fifty helpers and eighteen steam fitters at Swift & Co.'s packing house refused to go to work yesterday morning. At Armour's the machinists and steam fitters are out At Schwartzchild & Sulzberger's all accept the reduction but the butchers Fears are entertained that the strike may extend.

Bloodshed Looked For.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Aug. 21.—The miners' war is at a stand still in North Leavenworth to-day. Fifty negroes who were at work were threatened and left for their homes. Bloodshed is looked for, as it is asserted that many of the strikers are armed.

See the World's Fair for Fifteen Cents.

Upon receipt of your address and fifteen cents in postage stamps, we will mail you prepaid our SOUVENIR PORTFOLIO OF THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION, the regular price is Fifty cents, but as we want you to have one, we make the price nominal. You will find it a work of art and a thing to be prized. It contains full page views of the great buildings, with descriptive matter and is executed in the highest style of art. If not satisfied with it, after you get it, we will refund the stamps and let you keep the book. Address H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, Ill. den

Dunn & Bro. notice.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The Etruria which arrived at New York Saturday brought $358 850 in gold

—Several industrial plants at Rockford Ill, resumed operations yesterday Others will do so in a few days

—The City of Washington which arrived at New York yesterday morning from Havanna brought $220 000 gold

—Government receipts continue light and expenditures heavy and the treasury balances are gradually being reduced

—Senator Quay one of the first to reach Washington in response to the call for a special session has returned to Pennsylvania

—Orders have been issued by the treasury department to all subtreasuries to pay out gold over the counters the same as other classes of money

—Sheriff Cochran of Beloit Kan killed Will Stevens an escaped prisoner who answered a demand to surrender with a volley last Sunday

—An impression is growing about the capitol that the present extraordinary session of congress may come to an end about the middle of September

—Yesterday one trainman in each regular freight crew between Pittsburgh and Chicago on the Pittsburgh Fort Wayne & Chicago system was laid off indefinitely

—The father of the greenback and one of its most consistent and unfaltering advocates, Hon George O Jones reached Washington from New York yesterday

—Dr Wyman of the marine hospital service, has been notified that cholera is prevalent in St Petersburg in epidemic form. There is no emigration from St Petersburg

—Maj John C Lullman committed suicide at his residence in St Louis yesterday by putting a bullet through his brain while in a bath room Death was instantaneous

—The big Havemeyer's sugar refineries in Brooklyn employing 4 000 men and affecting about 15 000 persons dependent upon them resumed work Sunday night after a few days shut down

—Many of the Santa Fe mine strikers at Weir City Kan have refused to sign the stringent contract drawn up by Manager Devlin and in consequence but few men are at work The outlook is as gloomy as ever

—Charles H Fredericks and Albert E Belton fell from a swinging scaffold eighty feet from the ground at Main and Main streets, St Louis yesterday Fredericks was instantly killed and Belton was probably fatally injured

—Treasurer M C Curtin of the Choctaw nation has made an assignment tying up nearly a million of lease district money recently received from the government His bond is only $30 000 and there are many hints of dark developments

—Lazarus Silverman the insolvent banker of Chicago made a statement of his assets and liabilities in the county court According to the showing made the assets amount to $1 608 000 and the liabilities secured and unsecured to $3 375 000

—In the house of commons yesterday Right Hon Sir William Vernon Harcourt chancellor of the exchequer said that the government had found nothing in the course of events in India that would induce it to interfere with the single monetary standard

—Miss Alice Burbage of Washington city has returned from Leipsic where for the past three years she has been pursuing her musical education at the Royal conservatory She brings with her some of the most distinguished honors ever conferred upon an American girl studying abroad

—Considerable mystery surrounds the tragic death of C M Hammeal of Plainfield N J who committed suicide in Chicago by shooting in the head with a revolver From letters found on his body it appears that the unfortunate man left his home under a cloud and was in momentary fear of being killed by some one whom he had wronged.

—The jury in the case of Mrs Mary Shann, who had been on trial at Trenton N J for nearly two weeks, charged with having poisoned her son John for the purpose of securing some insurance money returned a verdict of not guilty yesterday morning and the prisoner was discharged

—William Einsel a wealthy farmer living five miles north of Tiffin O drew $400 from a bank and placed the money in an iron safe in his home Saturday night During the night masked robbers broke into his house and compelled him to surrender the cash to them

—A scaffold around the new Methodist Episcopal church at Sault Ste. Marie Mich gave way yesterday while a large stone was being carried upon it by eight men Amos Healy a Finlander was struck by the falling stone and died in a few minutes All the others were more or less seriously hurt

—While playing baseball in Chicago Sunday afternoon Peter Nyland was struck in the back of the neck by a ball from the hands of the pitcher and almost instantly killed. His neck was broken and he died without uttering a word Edward J Carter the pitcher who threw the ball was arrested

Serious Charges Against a County Superintendent of Schools.

COLUMBUS, Ind, Aug 25—Charges of immoral conduct were yesterday made before the county commissioners against W J Griffin, county superintendent of schools, alleging improper intimacy and undue familiarity with a woman of Shelbyville and other females at various times and places and asking that the charge be investigated and if found true, that he be dismissed from his office Griffin denies the charges, and says it is a conspiracy to ruin him and that he will be able to vindicate himself The complaint is indorsed by Herman Foster, Lawrence B Stucky, Thomas May, Adam Lortz, Henry Peoples and James Finkly, all good citizens

The Third Victim of the Relentless Cable.

WASHINGTON, Aug 22—The cable line here claimed its third victim from among the members of congress last night. A few months ago Representative Hooker, of Mississippi, was thrown from a cable car and injured so seriously that he was confined to a hospital for several weeks.

About ten days ago Senator Gates, of Alabama, was injured, and is still suffering from concussion of the brain

Last night Mr Shell, of Alabama, was knocked down and trundled along by the fenders of a cable car for some time, and suffers with concussion of the chest He was removed to his suite of rooms at the Arlington

At 9 o'clock he was resting comfortably, and his physician is hopeful of his speedy recovery

Violence Threatened.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 22—Private telegrams from Frontenac state that President Walters of the Coal Miners' union threatens violence to all men who go to work in the Santa Fe company's mines under the agreement signed last Friday At a meeting Sunday Walters said the union must be recognized and if the man went to work without his sanction he would lead 2,000 men to Frontenac and drive the scabs out of the mines.

Closed on Mortgages.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug 22.—The Moinet-Campbell Lumber Co was closed yesterday on mortgages aggregating about $6,000.

One word describes it—"perfection." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve [illegible] burns, skin diseases [illegible] known cure for piles W. F. [illegible]

One of [illegible] Representatives is understood to agree with Lieut. Totten that the general breakup has set in.

We could not improve the quality if paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best Salve that experience can produce, or that money can buy.

A Rice of Bangs has been arrested at [illegible] Mo., on the charge of trying to [illegible] a bond bill.

[illegible] Porch and window shades at [illegible] & Monteith's, in Library Block.

AN ALL-ROUND BEAT.

E M Donaldson, Banker and Speculator of Marion.

KANSAS' YOUNG NAPOLEON OF FINANCE

Doings of a Country School Teacher Turned Real-Estate Boomer and Financier—A Defaulter and Fugitive from Justice.

KANSAS CITY Mo, Aug 22—Kansas has produced a young Napoleon of finance who ranks well up with Ives in the person of E M Donaldson, banker and speculator of Marion He was president of the Union Trust Co of Sioux City Ia which failed June 28 and of the Marion national bank, which was closed by a special examiner last week Developments yesterday show that Donaldson has fled the country and is probably in Mexico, a defaulter to the amount of at least $600 000 He is believed to have most of this money with him The shortage at the Marion bank is only $2,000 The bulk of Donaldson's ill gotten gains has come from eastern capitalists and the people of western Iowa

Donaldson was a school teacher at Marion but during the real estate boom from 1885 to 1886 he branched out in real estate and made considerable money In 1888 he organized a chain of banks in Kansas but they all went to the wall save the Marion institution

When the bottom dropped out of the boom he removed to Iowa, and in 1888 organized the Union Trust Co Its stockholders were eastern capitalists who had been holders of stock in the Kansas concerns and had it transferred, and Iowa people who had been roped in by the showing made The main object was to loan money to gentlemen Donaldson established a chain of eleven banks at different towns in Iowa He was the president of each and was the sole head of the trust company

Assignee Doty, of the suspended concerns was here yesterday and says in all the banks and trust company not a dollar's worth of assets has been found He says Donaldson got away with at least $600,000

Donaldson opened an office here last November and by June was engaged in getting away with assets of the Iowa concerns He raised tens of thousands of dollars in the east said to be secured by herds of cattle that never existed

A warrant has been issued and an officer put on his trail

Donaldson left Marion the day the bank examiner put in an appearance and is supposed to be in Mexico

Examiner Maxwell has found evidence of crooked transactions on the part of Donaldson One of his favorite practices was to obtain notes for considerable amounts from persons who had absolutely no property He would pay them a few dollars for signing the notes, cash them at the bank and put the money in his pocket. Donaldson is only 38 years old

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association Clubs

The following games were played yesterday

AT PHILADELPHIA

St Louis	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	—6
Philadelphias	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	2	—8	

Batteries—Gleason and Peitz Carsey and Clements

AT BROOKLYN

Cincinnatis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	—3	
Brooklyns	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1	

Batteries—Dwyer and Murphy Stein and Kinslow

AT NEW YORK

New Yorks	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	7	*—13	
Clevelands	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0—3	

Batteries—Petty and Doyle Cuppy and Gunson

AT BALTIMORE

Louisvilles	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	*—12	
Baltimores	5	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1—9	

Batteries—Hemming and Grim McMahon, Mullane and Robinson

AT BOSTON

Boston Pittsburgh—Rain

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

Chicagos at New York

Clevelands at Philadelphia.

Pittsburghs at Brooklyn

Cincinnatis at Boston

Louisvilles at Washington.

St Louis at Baltimore

A Statue of Abraham Lincoln Unveiled at Edinburgh.

EDINBURGH, Aug 22—The statue of Abraham Lincoln, the martyr president of the United States, erected as a memorial to the Scottish-American soldiers of the American civil war, was unveiled here yesterday in the presence of the municipal authorities, many distinguished guests, a number of Americans, and a large crowd of residents in Edinburgh, including most of the elite of the town and people from the surrounding country

Struck Against a Reduction.

DENVER, Col, Aug 22—One hundred men employed on the sewers of the city struck yesterday because Contractor Hindey reduced their wages to $1 30 a day Special meetings of the city council and the board of public works have been called, the sympathies of those bodies being with the men. It was not dreamed of that wages would be cut so low when the city let the contract.

Will Return to the White House at the End of the Month.

WASHINGTON, Aug 22.—President and Mrs. Cleveland will, it is understood, return to the White House on the last day of this month. The work of renovating the mansion, that has been in progress for some weeks past has been nearly completed.

Still It Comes.

LONDON, Aug 22—The steamer Gallia, which will sail from Liverpool, today for New York, will take $200,000 in gold for American houses.

Buggies, Buggies, Buggies.

When you want a Buggy, Surrey or Phaeton come and look through our stock. We have some of the best buggies made and our prices are the lowest

THE SPENCER & LINKMAN CO

I, D & W. EXCURSION.

On account of the National Encampment of the G. A. R. at Indianapolis, the I., D. & W. Ry will sell excursion tickets Decatur to Indianapolis and return at rate of $1.10 for the round trip. Tickets will be sold August 28th to Sept. 8th, inclusive, good returning until Sept. 16th. This is the shortest line and the route selected by Denham Post No. 141. Special train will leave Decatur at 1:30 p. m. Sept. 4th, joining Denham Post No. 141 and Old Post No. 1 G C BOEWIN, G A. I., D & W Ry

CLOSING OUT SALE!

We have quite a good deal of Hot Weather Clothing which we are closing out. Look at the Bargains in the following list:

All Straw Hats, And we have a very few left, go AT COST

Hot Weather Coats, From 50c up to $8. We have some elegant Silk Coats and Vests for nobby dressers

Negligee Shirts, In Soft and Unlaundered. Our French Crepe Negligee at 50c, is a dandy, is cool and washes well. Some elegant things in Half Laundered Shirts left, all go at ridiculously low prices.

A Good Assortment Of Summer Neckwear to select from.

This Is Trouser Month, And we have many odd Pants, suitable to wear out your present coat and vest, which we can sell you from $1.50 to $7.50.

Our $16.50 Flat-bound, guaranteed all-wool, fast color, black Clay Dress Suit is still our leader, and is the same suit which you will pay competitors $20 for.

Our Children's Department HAS MANY BARGAINS. We have a big line of Knee Paints and Waists. OUR CHILDREN'S WASH SUITS, just the thing for the boys in this extremely hot weather, go at ANY PRICE.

DON'T FAIL TO AVAIL YOURSELF OF SOME OF THESE BARGAINS

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Bradley Bros. DRY GOODS & MILLINERY Decatur Ill.

NEW FALL Dress Goods.

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Silks, Satins, Crystals, Velvets, Suitings, Hop Sackings, Epingelines, Velours, Ottomans, Reps, Empress Cloths, Poplins,

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DRESS TRIMMINGS.

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To have your Watch Repaired is

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ur Facilities for WATCH, JEWELRY and CLOCK REPAIRING are the Best.

First-Class Work,
PROMPTNESS, and
Reasonable Charges.

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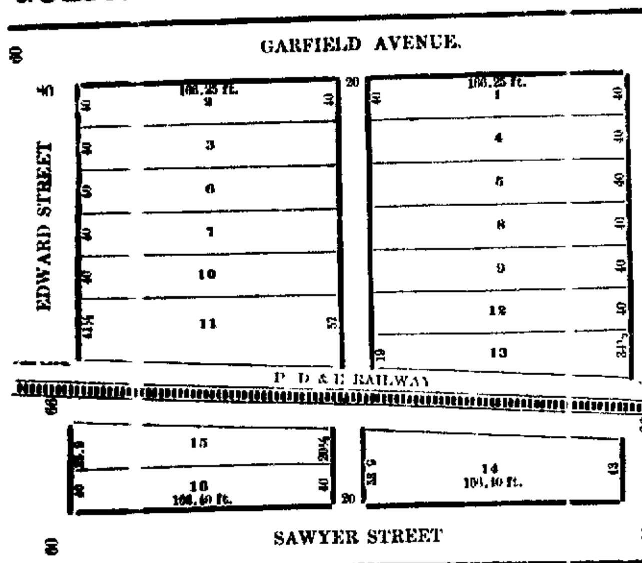
Jewelers

AND FINE WATCH REPAIRERS.

WILLIAMS' SUBDIVISION

OF BLOCK ONE,

GULICK'S ADDITION TO DECATUR.



The above lots in Williams' Subdivision of Block 1. Gulick's Addition, are beautifully located, high and dry, at the end of the North Edward Street Electric Street Railway line, 10 minutes ride from Lincoln Square. These lots are in the finest building section of the city and are the best in the market for the money, ranging in price from $250 to $400. For further particulars and terms apply to the owner.

A. J. WILLIAMS,
1345 North Union Street.

Special Tax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special taxes upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement: The paving and improving of North Pine street from West Main street, north to William street and South Pine street from West Main street, south to West street, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, as will more fully appear from a certified copy of said judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of said special taxes is in the hands of the undersigned. The total amount of such special taxes, is divided into five equal installments, and each installment is twenty per cent. of the entire amount specially taxed, against the lots, blocks, tracts and parcels of land benefited by said local improvement. The first installment was due July 15, A. D. 1893, and one installment falls due annually thereafter until paid. All deferred installments (to wit: the last four installments) bear six per cent. interest from Jan. 1, A. D. 1894, which said interest is payable annually. The whole of said special taxes or any installment thereof levied upon any lot, block, piece or tract of land may be paid at any time at the option of the owner or owners of said lot, block, piece or tract of land. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount specially taxed at the collector's office, being the city clerk's office, at the court house, in said city within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this, the 14th day of August, A. D 1893
L. F SKELLEY, Collector.

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Special Tax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special taxes upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement. The paving and improving of West William street, from the west line of North Church street to the west line of Millikin Place, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office; that a warrant for the collection of such special taxes is in the hands of the undersigned. The total amount of such special taxes is divided into five equal installments and each installment is 20 per cent of the entire amount specially taxed against the lots, blocks, tracts and parcels of land benefitted by said local improvement. The first installment was due July 20th, A. D. 1893, and one installment falls due annually thereafter until paid. All deferred installments (to wit; the last four installments) bear six per cent. interest from January 1, A. D. 1894, which said interest is payable annually. The whole of said special taxes or any installment thereof levied upon any lot, block, piece or tract of land may be paid at any time at the option of the owner or owners of said lots, blocks, piece or tract of land. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount specially taxed at the collector's office, being the city clerk's office, at the court house in said city within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 14th day of August, A. D. 1893.
L. F. SKELLEY, Collector.

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court September Term, A. D. 1893.

Henry F. May et al vs Allen B. Martin et al.—In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the defendants James D. Miller, Daniel Miller and Ally Miller are non-residents of the state of Illinois, notice is hereby given to each of you that the above named complainants have filed their amended bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you returnable on the first day of the next September term thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1893. Now, unless you, the said James Miller, Daniel Miller and Ally Miller, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer, or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 16 day of August, A. D. 1893.
E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of said Court.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of [illegible] execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the County of Macon county, [illegible] in favor of [illegible] and [illegible] E. Deardorff, I [illegible] the following described property [illegible] in the day of [illegible] at public sale all the [illegible] August A. D. [illegible]

PETER PERL,
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

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C. M. LANE
Law Office,
135 North [illegible] NOTARY PUBLIC.

DR. FRUTH,

The well-known and successful Specialist, by request of many friends and patients has consented to visit

Decatur, Thursday, AUGUST 24,

And may be consulted free of charge at

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

From 9 a. m to 6 p. m

The Celebrated Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist,

Who has performed more wonderful cures in diseases of a wasting, nervous and debilitating nature, the result of Self-Abuse, Overwork or Indulgence, than all other physicians combined, by his New Method treatment.

Catarrhal Disorders Quickly Cured. New Method.

Married men and women, or those contemplating entering upon that happy state aware of any weakness should give it prompt attention, as nothing will interrupt so quickly congenial married life as weakness and incompetency.

Organal Weakness,

nervous debility, premature decline of the manly powers is the penalty paid by the victim of improper self-indulgence, unfitting them for the important duty of manhood rendering life and the pursuit of happiness a failure, causing more unfaithfulness, misery, disease and discontent than all other vices combined, and to whom these words of warning have not come too late, let me impress upon you the importance of an immediate cure before the time comes when you have nothing to look forward to except a life of wrecked hopes, seared ambition, blighted career, bodily and mental suffering, intensified by shame and bitter remorse.

Young Men, who through ignorance or the thoughtless exuberance of youthful spirits are subjects of self abuse and as a result their mind and manhood are ruined, vim, vigor and physical structure sapped by emissions, vital drain in urine; which is a terrible waste upon the system, impoverishing the blood, robbing the body of the precious elements of precious manhood, shaking the nervous system from center to periphery, attacking the very citadel of life, should wake up and take treatment and resolve to be a man before disease, idiocy, insanity, failing fits, or total impotency result, which would forever prevent your own interference in your future welfare and make a cure unattainable.

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Nervous Debility and Sexual Disorders yield readily to his treatment.

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TUESDAY EVE., AUG. 22, 1893.

THE elections in France have resulted largely in favor of the republic.

THE People's National and Union National banks in Denver have resumed.

Two men engaged in manufacturing in Rockford, Giles Burnett and L. M. Wegg, both dropped dead yesterday.

PENNINGTON, of airship fame, has been engaged in an electric railroad scheme in Chicago which has just collapsed.

CONGRESSMAN SPRINGER has expressed surprise and dissatisfaction over the treatment he has received at the hands of Speaker Crisp.

ARMOUR'S men at Kansas City have struck against a reduction of wages. This being a Democratic administration the chances are they will "strike out."

EVERYBODY who has foolishly withdrawn deposits from banks cannot do themselves and business generally a greater favor than by redepositing it. Do it at once.

THE aged senator, Lott Morrill, author of the Morrill tariff of 1861, spoke yesterday in the senate on the silver question, taking for a theme the words "Honest money cheats nobody."

LAST November the Democrats were paying 25 cents apiece for oats to carry in their processions. To-day a bushel of wheat is worth only as much as was paid for two oats at that time, and oats are going around begging for somebody to take them.

EX-SENATOR INGALLS seems to think all our industries will soon be out of a job. Probably he will make an exception in favor of calamity howling.—*Boston Herald (Ind.)*

No, it would not be proper to make such an exception, as the calamity howlers are out of a job, being in power with calamity in reality all about them, and do not know what to do in the way of meeting their promises.

THE Ohio Democrats will open their campaign Thursday at Newark. Vice President Stevenson will speak and also Lawrence T. Neal, candidate for governor. Stevenson will have some trouble impressing the Ohio people that the present administration is operating as a boom for business and a better day for the workingmen. The "golden era" extolled by Stevenson in the last campaign has lost its charms for the people who were not familiar with the period he referred to.

Ignoring the Main Question.

The Decatur *Review* that represents a party that less than a year ago voted in Congress by its representatives, with but three exceptions in that body, in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1, which would have flooded the country with 60 cent dollars without security of any kind behind them for their redemption, flies into Senator Cullom because he expresses the opinion that the silver purchase under the Sherman law is not the sole cause of the present prostration. It is treason in the eyes of those people who tried to commit this country to free and irredeemable silver that would have driven every dollar in gold into retirement, to refuse to admit that every mill in the country that has closed since election, and every idle workman who has lost his job since that event, and every business that has become insolvent, and every bank that has suspended, and that every bushel of wheat that has only brought 50 cents, and every pound of wool that has either been sold for 14 cents a pound or found no market, is attributable to the silver law and is in no sense the result of the threats of Cleveland and his army of tariff mutineers to rip up the system upon which the prosperity of the last 30 years is founded.

That organ tells us that "Cullom has heard from his own state that the Sherman law is responsible for the depression that exists." No one doubts that the law has been made to do its share toward the depression, that is, it has been made to augment the depression by Cleveland and his Wall street and mugwump friends, and Cullom and his Republican colleagues are ready to repeal the law which is more than can be said for a majority of the Democrats in congress, notwithstanding the fact that Mr Cleveland claims the law is responsible for all the depression.

Mr. Cleveland attacked silver under the Bland-Allison act as early as February 1885, and demanded the suspension of silver coinage, alleging that its continuation would send gold to a premium. In a few days thereafter Mr. Cleveland was inaugurated president, but during his term neither he nor his party made any attempt to protect the country against the danger he pointed out, and subsequently his party voted several times to force free silver on the country and even that did not produce business depression.

In the campaign of 1890 and 1892 no Democratic campaigner made the remotest suggestion that our silver laws were endangering the stability of business, and as late as February 1893, the Democrats refused to vote to repeal the purchase clause of the silver law. They certainly then did not believe that that law was bringing about depression, if they did, they acted very unpatriotically.

But listen, at the very time the Democrats were refusing to repeal the present silver law and were voting for free coinage, business depression had begun. It began a few days after election. Up to the day of election everything had been so prosperous that the Democrats prosecuted Peck of New York for compiling the evidences of that prosperity. But the election of Democratic iconoclasts to power was the signal for prosperity to take to the woods. During the month of November, the month in which the election of Cleveland and a Democratic Congress occurred, the Associated press news teemed with the stories of alarm among the wool growers and the manufacturers. A dispatch, Nov. 16, 1892 from Pittsburg, Pa., stated that wool growers of Washington county with their 500,000 sheep were going out of of business on account of the Democratic tariff threats. A Philadelphia dispatch dated Nov. 15, stated that woolen manufacturers agreed that the Democratic free trade tariff would close two-thirds of all the woolen manufactories and on the same date the Chicago *News* published in a special from New York a list of eight extensive firms that had shortened their time and cut down the number of employes in anticipation of unfriendly legislation by the Democrats. We could fill several columns of similar dispatches, wholly non-partisan, sent out in November and December of 1892, and January, February and March in 1893. The facts are, business quailed before Democratic ascendency.

During all this there was no wail that silver caused it, and not until Mr. Cleveland had been inaugurated several weeks and he saw business prosperity shrinking on every hand, was the cry raised that it was all due to bad silver legislation. It was not till then that silver was made the scape goat. Senator Cullom, with other Republican statesmen, predicted in the campaign of 1892 that the election of a Democratic president and congress upon their platform would bring about business depression, while the *Review* and other Democratic campaigners predicted that it would result in renewed prosperity. That paper, a day or two after the election, actually said that "now the south would prosper with the rest of the country." Possibly Senator Cullom did not know what he was talking about. Possibly the Democrats did. But the result indicates just the reverse. And it is a fair assumption that Senator Cullom knows what he is talking about now and that the Democratic statesmen are still in the business of throwing dust in the eyes of the people. Moral: The quicker the Democrats are forced to recede from their position on the tariff the quicker business will be fully resumed.

Those Committees.

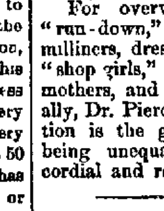
No wonder the great industrial north shrinks from a Democratic administration. The north pays dollars to the support of the government to where the south pays pennies. The north produces millions of wealth to where the south produces thousands. And yet when Speaker Crisp makes up his committees he gives the south thirty chairmanships to twenty-one for the great industrial north. He turns down Springer from the great state of Illinois, as chairman of the committee on ways and means where tariff bills are made, and gives it to the insignificant state of West Virginia, and to one totally inexperienced in tariff matters. He goes to the state of Texas for a man to place at the head of the great appropriations committee to disburse the money collected from the north, and puts a North Carolina man at the head of post offices and postroads.

THE WAY SHE LOOKS

troubles the woman who is delicate, run-down, or overworked. She's hollow-cheeked, dull-eyed, thin, and pale, and it worries her.

Now, the way to look well is to *be* well. And the way to be well, if you're any such woman, is to faithfully use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. That is the *only* medicine that's *guaranteed* to build up woman's strength and to cure woman's ailments. In every "female complaint," irregularity, or weakness, and in every exhausted condition of the female system—if it ever fails to benefit or cure, you have your money back.

For overworked, "worn-out," "run-down," debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop girls," house-keepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequaled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic.



If you're suffering from Catarrh, the proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy ask you to try their medicine. Then, if you can't be cured, they'll pay you $500 in cash.

PRINCE MAX of Saxony, nephew of the King, has quitted the army to become a priest. The young man was born in 1870, and recently served as a lieutenant in a regiment of Uhlans. He left his regiment, after dismissing his servants, and entered a cloister at Eichstaett. The action of the young man, to whom a brilliant career and a possible throne were open, has caused much comment in Germany.

WHY?

Taste of "Royal Ruby Port Wine" and you will know why we call it "Royal." A glass held up to the light will show why we call it Ruby. $500 reward for any bottle of this wine found under five years old or in any way adulterated. It is grand in sickness and convalescence, or where a strengthening cordial is required; recommended by druggists and physicians. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby;" don't let dealers impose on you with something "just as good," but go to Dr. A. J. Stoner and get the genuine. Sold only in bottles; price: quarts $1, pints 60 cts. Bottled by Royal Wine Co., Chicago.

PHILLIP MACAULEY was a little less than 60 years old when he arrived in this country from Ireland in 1849. He is still living, tolerably strong and bright, at the age of 103 years, in Middletown, N. Y.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for cuts bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, druggist d&w

PRINCE CANTACUZENE, the new Russian minister to Washington, is an inveterate traveler and chess player. He carries a pocket board with him, and is always ready and anxious to make a move.

ALL that honesty, experience and skill can do to produce a perfect pill, has been employed in making DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The result is a specific for sick headache, billiousness and constipation. W. F. Neisler.

ZOLA now wants to be elected to the French Chamber of Deputies. If he cannot have the fame of the Academy he will be content with the notoriety of politics.

A WESTERN geologist says that Kansas can raise wheat for another thousand years before exhausting the necessary properties of the soil.

LITTLE vegetable "health producers: DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure malarious disorders and regulate the stomach and bowels, which prevents headache and dizziness. W. F. Neisler.

SLOW-GOING "CRACKERS."

Ten Miles Their Day's Journey, With a Sleepy Ox Team.

None but a southern "cracker" could endure the long ride through the pine woods behind the slow-moving oxen. A whole day is commonly occupied by them in covering a distance of eight or ten miles. The animals have a lazy expression in their eyes and the old two-wheeled cart literally stands still at times while the animals are drawing one leg before the other. But a correspondent says this is suited to the temperament of their owner. He rides along quietly, occasionally rousing himself to snap his whip with such a resounding crack that it can be heard for a mile away in the pine woods. It is said that these people get their name from the skill which they have obtained in snapping their long whip lashes, and it seems quite reasonable that this should be true. One can tell the approach of a cracker and his load of oranges by the occasional snapping of his whip long before he is in sight. He plows his fruit orchard with the aid of the same slow team. Frequently he allows them to rest while he walks around the place, and in the middle of the day the sun is considered too hot for endurance. Man and beast then rest within the shade of some tree, while the croaking of the bullfrogs and the cawing of the buzzards are the only indications of life around. Fortunately for the cracker's convenience, oranges are fruits that do not have to be picked rapidly. He can distribute his labor of harvesting over several months, and this he generally does. The checks that come back in return for the fruit constitute about all the money the crackers see in the whole year, and generally they do not see much of this. There is an account at the general merchandise store in the village that has been running for a year, and after this is paid off the poor man finds very little left. But this does not bother him much. He returns home to repeat the operation, and to cultivate his groves so that he can pay off another bill at the store which will gradually accumulate again.

There is very little religious life possible to those lonely people in the southern pine woods. In the smaller places where a number of them are gathered together a minister occasionally visits them to preach, but out in the desolate pine woods they are left to their own resources. Every day is about the same with them. They work a little, sleep a great deal, and eat when they are hungry. For pleasure they go hunting and fishing, occasionally the whole family takes a fortnight's trip in the big cart to some distant lake, where they camp out. This is their only outing or vacation. Reading material is very scarce, with the exception of the small county papers—the latter are very plentiful in Florida. Schoolhouses are generally few and far between, and they are mostly small log huts that the crackers erect themselves. —N. Y. Post.

$100 Reward, $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity, Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have such faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address,

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.

EDNA GOLD MINING STOCK.

DOWN TO GOLD.

Information from the Edna Gold Mining Company property in Boulder county, Colorado, is to the effect that development work is being pushed ahead rapidly. The price of the shares since August 1st has been raised to 15 cents, and may go to 25 cents before December. Rich tellurium rock, such as was found in the adjoining Smoky Hill mine, worth $4.00 a pound, thickly studded with gold, is now being found at the bottom of the Edna shaft, and it gets richer as the work proceeds. Specimens of the gold ore will be in Decatur in a few days. Parties desiring shares in blocks of 1000 or more can still get them at 10 cents each. Several parties can go in together and the certificates will be issued in fractions of 1000. Per order of W. G. Nagely, secretary; J. J. H. Young, Decatur agent—aug. 9 dtf

For the World's Fair, Free.

The Libby Glass Co., whose agents we are for this section of country, have kindly sent us a lot of maps of the World's Fair grounds and Midway Plaisance. These maps show just the location of every building and attraction on the grounds, and are a great help to visitors. They are not large and can be carried in the pocket nicely. You can see twice as much in a day if you know where to find it without walking half a mile out of your way. Call and get one free. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Bloomingdale Glens Excursion.

Until further notice the I., D. & W. will run a special Sunday excursion train from Decatur to Bloomingdale Glens and Montezuma Sulphur Baths. Fare for the round trip only $1.50. Train leaves Decatur at 7 o'clock a. m., returning at 8:20 p. m. C. G. DORWIN, G. A., I., D. & W. Ry.

Special Notice.

All persons indebted to the late Mrs. H. S. Evans are requested to call at the office of the administrator of the estate of the deceased, 125 East William street, and pay the bills. The administrator will pay all claims against said estate.

O. J. ZIMMERMAN, Administrator.
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Monticello Fair.

For the above occasion the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets Decatur to Monticello on Aug. 21 to 25, inclusive, at $1 for the round trip, good until Aug 26 to return. Call on T. Peniwell, city office, 110 Library Block, or C. O. Judson, Agt., Union Depot. a21-dtd

AMONG the visitors whom we may expect in Chicago in the immediate future are the Archduke Francis of Austria, Duke Ernest Guenther of Schleswig-Holstein, Prince Yerhito of Japan, Prince Rerhito of Japan, Prince Krapotkin, the Russian literary revolutionist, and the Archbishop of Zante. They are all on the way to the World's Fair, and may be expected to remain several weeks.

All Free.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised druggist and get a trial bottle, free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household instructor, free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. King & Wood drug store. dm

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Better Cure THAN CONCEAL.

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Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, Handkerchiefs, Ties, Windsors, Laces, Lace Scarfs, Fischus, &c., &c., &c.

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151 East Main Street.

Sealed Bids.

Notice is hereby given that proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Highways of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois, on the 2d day of September, 1893, for the painting of the following bridges, situated in Decatur township, Macon county, as herein described, to-wit:

The "Spangler Bridge," spanning the Sangamon river, together with water-way.

The "Priest Ford Bridge," spanning the Sangamon river.

The "Maffit Bridge," spanning the Sangamon river.

The "Stevens Creek Bridge," on the Springfield road.

The "Stevens Creek Bridge," on the Mt. Pulaski road.

All of the iron work, together with hub boards, to be painted in a good and workmanlike manner. The commissioners to furnish all material and the contractor to furnish all tools and implements.

The painting of the above bridges will be let by public letting to the lowest responsible bidder at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. at the town clerk's office in the city of Decatur.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids if they deem it to the best interests of the town, and no contract shall be considered as let unless the contractor shall within five days after the letting enter into a contract and file a bond with two good and sufficient sureties with the commissioners in the penal sum of double the amount of the contract, payable to the commissioners of the town upon failure to comply with the conditions of his or their contract. Said work to be finished by November 1, 1893

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 21st day of August, A D 1893

C. M. CALDWELL,
D. A. MAFFIT,
CHAS WHEELER,
u21-d10t Commissioners of Highways

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the paving and improving of the alley between North Main street and North Water street, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and state of Illinois, from the north line of East North street, to the south line of East Eldorado street, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of the said city of Decatur, on the 17th day of August A. D. 1893, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until 4 o'clock of Monday the 28th day of August A. D. 1893, for the paving and improving of said alley, including labor, materials and all other matter necessary to make the same

The contractor will be required to use brick in paving said alley equal to sample on file at the city clerk's office

A bond or certified check in the amount of one hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated August 12th, A. D. 1893.
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.
aug14-d10t

Proposal for Sewers at Fair Ground Park.

Sealed proposals will be received at the City Clerk's office until 5 o'clock p. m. on the 18th day of August, 1893, for the labor and materials required for the construction and completion of certain sewers at the Macon County Fair Grounds, Decatur, Illinois, in accordance with profiles and specifications to be seen at the City Clerk's office. Each proposal must state the price per linear foot for the different sewers and be accompanied by a certified check for a sum of not less than 10 per cent. of the amount of the proposal. The right will be reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any defect or informality of any bid.

L. BURROWS,
P. LOEB,
J. R. MILLER,
aug19-dtd Park Commissioners.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Mrs Kate Evans, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Mrs. Kate Evans, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of August, 1893.
O. J. ZIMMERMAN,
aug11-d3w Administrator

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MONEY TO LOAN—I have plenty of ready money to loan on improved city property. I will also loan on good property in surrounding towns. Terms, 6 per cent, interest on six years time. Call on or address SAMUEL McBRIDE, 215 North Main St., Decatur, Ill. a21 d1w*

WANTED—A partner, with a small capital, in a well established business in Decatur. For particulars inquire at this office. 19-d6

107 ACRES of good land, 85 acres under cultivation, balance in timber, 6½ miles east of Raymond, Ill. Will trade for house and lot in Decatur. J. S. CAMPBELL, No. 9 Fenton Block. aug19-d2w

WANTED—Rooms and board for the students of Brown's Business College. Term opens Tuesday, Sept. 5. Send information to college office, Library Block. E. F. IRVING, principal. 18-d1w

LOST—Somewhere between Woods' confectionery and B. Stine's clothing store a pocket book containing $3.75 in cash, valuable papers and a railroad ticket from Decatur to Hammond. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving same at the REPUBLICAN office MRS. A. J. GARDNER, Hammond, Ill. a18-d1w*

C. A. FOSTER, teacher of *high grade* piano playing. Beginning pupils received. Fall term opens September 4. Music rooms over Dr. Waltz' dental parlors, North Main street. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. a14-d1m

FOR EXCHANGE OR SALE—84 acre farm one-half mile from railroad station, for residence property in Decatur; or will exchange Chicago lots. No incumbrance on either. Farm valued at $2,000; two lots, $600 each. Will assume. Box 147, Decatur, Ill. a10-d1w*

WANTED—A man or a man and wife to work on a farm. 1½ miles south of Decatur. Apply to A. S. WALTZ, 455 North Main street. 7-d6*

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DISTRICT MESSENGERS FREE—The service of the messengers of the Decatur Rent and Collecting Co. offered to REPUBLICAN patrons FREE for conveying want ads to the REPUBLICAN. The service costs you nothing, as all wants are taken at office rates, 25 cents per week for 40 words or less. Telephone us and a boy will come. Have your want written on a piece of paper and hand it with the money to the boy; the same day or next evening it will appear. Telephone No. 45.

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WANTED—A good girl to do general house work. Apply at 738 West William street. july11-dtf

MACHINIST—The Decatur Machine Works at 127 and 129 South Franklin street is now prepared to do all kinds and classes of machine work at reasonable prices. My machinery is all new. Give me a trial, please. m20-dtf JOHN SEELBACH

WANTED—You to know that the Decatur Nursery can furnish anything that soil and care will produce in the nature of shrubs, trees, (including California poplar), bulbs and flowers as good as can be had anywhere. Come and see and you will buy at home. july7-tf W. H. TINCHER.

FOR SALE—A well improved grain or stock farm of 160 acres, situated 3 miles south and 1 east of Maroa, Illinois Owing to tiling and springs it is well adapted for either an extreme wet or dry season. Free from any incumbrance. For further particulars call at the farm or address SAMUEL McCANN, Maroa, Macon county, Illinois, July 14—d&w tf

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FOR SALE—Five handsome residence lots just laid out, fronting on Forrest avenue and between Powers avenue and South Green street. The location is most desirable and the lots are high and have natural drainage. The most beautiful building sites now on the market For further particulars call an P. Costello, 478 South Green street 27tf

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Nice farm of 130 acres, 4 miles from Decatur, would take in exchange a house and lot in some little town near Decatur, balance easy terms. This is a snap, as owner is sick and will give possession immediately. Call quick. P. H. BRUECK, Real Estate Broker, 249 N. Main St. m17 dtf

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MONEY TO LOAN—At 5 and 6 per cent, on business, residence and church properties, also on improved farms throughout the state Farms for sale or exchange in all parts of the county Correspondence solicited. Central Illinois Loan and Real Estate Agency, Decatur, Ill 2 North Water street jan12 dtf

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Administrator's Notice for Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

Estate of Peter Conover, Deceased.

To Levi Conover, Eliza Conover, R. A. Matthews, Oliver Flach, Leona Camron, Charles Camron and T. J. Scroggin, their guardian, heirs and distributees, and J. F. Willard, administrator de bonis non of said estate

You are hereby notified that on Wednesday, the 23d day of August, 1893, the executrix of the estate of Albert Conover, who was the administrator of said estate, will present to the county court of Macon county, at Decatur, Illinois, a final report of her acts and doings, and the acts and doings of said Albert Conover as such administrator, and ask the court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate, and the administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you choose so to do.

(Signed) ADELE M. CONOVER,
Executrix of the Estate of Albert Conover
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I. C. EXCURSION.

NEW TRAIN TO CHICAGO—Commencing Monday, June 12th, morning train north on I. C. R. R. will leave Decatur at 7 a. m., with through coaches for Chicago, arriving at World's Fair grounds at 1 30 p. m. Returning will leave Chicago at 10.30 a. m. arriving at Decatur at 5:20 p. m. No change of cars in either direction. For tickets or further information, call on T. Peniwell, city office, or C. O. Judson, agent Union depot.

WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION.—The Illinois Central will sell round-trip tickets to Chicago, Ill, Sale of tickets to commence April 25th, 1893, and continue daily to and including Oct. 31st, 1893, going journey to be commenced on date of sale. Tickets limited to continuous passage in each direction, and good for return until Nov. 15, 1893 For tickets call on T. Peniwell, C. T. A., 110 Library Block, or C. O. Judson, Union Depot, Decatur, Ill apr24

COMMENCING WEDNESDAY, JULY 26TH, the Illinois Central railroad will place in service a through chair car on the Chicago train leaving Decatur at 10.45 p. m., arriving at Chicago at 7 a. m. The sleeping car now running between Decatur and Chicago will be withdrawn for the present. For tickets and other information call on T. Peniwell in Library Block, or at ticket office, Union depot. W. L. SMITH, Agt.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. reduced rates to Chicago and the World's Fair. Tickets on sale on and after April 25th, from Decatur Station to Chicago and return at $7.15 for the round trip, sale to continue daily until October 31st, 1893, inclusive; tickets good to return until Nov. 15, 1893. Remember that the Central Route is the only railroad from the south whose trains enter Chicago without transfer or detour in full view of the Exposition buildings and makes regular stops at the World's Fair Gates. (World's Fair Station—Midway Plaisance) For further particulars, tickets, etc., call on or address your local or nearest I. C. R. R. ticket agent.

A. H. HANSON, G P A Chicago.
apr24-d6mo

THE VANDALIA LINE has opened a city ticket office at 110 Library Block with the I. C. and P., D. & E. railroads A full line of local and coupon tickets to Peoria, and makes close connection for all points north and northwest, only one night out to Denver, Pueblo and Colorado Springs, and via Terre Haute and Indianapolis for all points east, north and south, only one night out for New York City. Harvest excursions August 22, September 12 and October 10. Be sure and call for further information, maps and tickets before starting on a journey

T PENIWELL, City Tkt Agt

WABASH HARVEST EXCURSIONS.

THE Wabash R. R. will on August 22, Sept 12th and Oct. 10 h sell harvest excursion tickets to principal points in the west, north west, south and southwest at one fare plus $2 for the round trip. For rates, routes, maps, or any information desired, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. and T. A., Wabash R. R., Decatur, Illinois.

On account of the G A R reunion, the Wabash R R will sell excursion tickets to Indianapolis and return at very low rates. Tickets will be sold Sept. 2d, 3d and 4th, good returning till Sept. 16th. For particulars, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. and T. A., Wabash R R., Decatur, Ill.

On account of the Brethren Church National Conference, the Wabash R. R will sell round trip excursion tickets to Eagle Lake, Warsaw, Ind., at one fare. Tickets will be sold August 18th to 24th inclusive, good returning till Sept. 23d.

On account of the Evangelical Association, Sunday School Convention, and the German Campmeeting, the Wabash R R will sell excursion tickets to Linwood Park, Vermillion, Ohio, at one and one third fare Tickets will be sold August 7th to 22d inclusive, good returning till August 26th.

The Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Monticello and return at $1, account of Monticello Fair Tickets will be sold August 21st to 25th inclusive, good returning till August 26th.

Palmer, Ill.—Account of picnic, $1 50 for the round trip. Sell August 24th, limit return Aug. 25th

P., D. & E. EXCURSION.

G. A. R. RATES for National Encampment at Indianapolis. The Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Railway desires that all its G. A. R friends shall understand that we are making a one cent per mile rate from all stations to Indianapolis via Decatur and I., D. & W., or Big Four and Mattoon. We further propose to tender through arrangements and the very best equipment and car service obtainable. Our rates are exceedingly low, which will permit each and every one with their friends to attend the Encampment this year. Special tickets will be prepared for the occasion and be limited to continuous passage in each direction, with a final limit of Sept. 16th, tickets to be sold going Sept. 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th. I shall hope that each and all of you will avail yourselves of this opportunity to have a good time and assure the success of a grand reunion. We further feel that we owe our soldier friends every attention and we shall be only too glad to tender it to you all. For further information call on our local agent nearest you or address the undersigned

F. A. WILLARD, D F & P A, P., D & E Ry, Peoria, Ill. aug19 tilsept6

P., D. & E. Harvest Excursion.

On Aug. 22, Sept. 12 and Oct 10, the P., D. & E. will sell tickets at one lowest standard first class fare, plus $2 for round trip points north west and south. For tickets and further information call on T. Peniwell, 110 Library Block, or C. O. Judson, Union Depot.

Annual Excursion to Cincinnati and Dayton, O., Via I., D. & W. Railway.

On Thursday, Aug. 24, 1893, the Indianapolis, Decatur and Western railway will run its annual excursion to Cincinnati and [illegible] homes, Dayton O. Rate for the round trip from Decatur only $4.00. Tickets good going on train leaving Decatur at 5.15 o'clock [illegible] good, returning, within thirty days [illegible] lar trains. Take advantage of [illegible] to visit friends in Indiana and [illegible] in time for the National G. A. R. Encampment at Indianapolis. For particulars [illegible] D. & W. agent, or JNO. S. L[illegible] G. P. A., Indianapolis. a12 dtd

BLOOMINGDALE GLENS EXCURSION.—Until further notice the I., D. & W. R'y will run a Sunday excursion train from Decatur to Bloomingdale Glens and Montezuma Sulphur Baths. Fare for the round trip $1.50. Train leaves Decatur at 7 o'clock a. m., returning at 8 20 p. m. C. G. DORWIN, G. A. I., D. & W. Railway.

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No. 4 Pass ...11 45 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 4 15 am
No. 44 Pass....11.15 a m	No. 43 Pass.... 4.35 a m
No. 12 Pass....10 10 p m	No. 45 Pass.... 4.05 p m
No 2 Pass. .12 15 a m	No 5 Pass.... 3 45 pm
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 2 Pass....10 05 p m	No. 43 Pass.... 4.30 a m
No. 4 Pass....11 05 a m	No. 45 Pass.... 4 05 p m
No. 6 Pass.... 5 15 a m	No. 1 Pass.... 9.07 p m
No. 46 Acc. . 7.05 p m	No 47 Acc.... 6.45 a m
No. 70 Freight11 05 a m	No. 71 Freight11 55 a m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT
No. 3 Pass.... 3.50 a m	No. 46 Pass.... 5.35 a m
No. 5 Pass.... 3.55 p m	No. 44 Pass....11:25 a m
No. 11 Pass.... 9.00p m	No. 42 Pass....10.15 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement 10.30a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement.. 8 15 p m
FROM CHICAGO	TO CHICAGO.
No 3 Pass ....4 05 a m	No. 2 Pass....12:20 a m
No. 5 Pass . ..3 41 p m	No. 4 Pass.... 11:50 a m
No 1 Pass, except Sunday 8:50 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday 6.35 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

	SOUTH.
	No. 103 pass. ex. Sunday ... 5 40 p. m
	No. 117 pass. to Pana, daily ... 4.45 a. m
	No. 121 pass ex day [illegible]
No 194 freight, ex day ... 3:[illegible]	
No. 302 (Chan[illegible] Line) leaves, e[illegible] day... 3.1[illegible]	

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CALDWELL, MAFFIT, WHEE[illegible]

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Consultatio[illegible]

Correspondence [illegible] and confidential. [illegible]

D. D. Rea, No. [illegible] Street, Chicago, I[illegible]

Administrator's Sale [illegible]

Public notice is hereby giv[illegible] an order and decree of the [illegible] con County, Illinois, on [illegible] signed administrator of th[illegible] Rashford rendered at the J[illegible] of said court, to-wit, on th[illegible] 1893, I shall on the 30th [illegible] D. 1893, between the hours [illegible] and 4 o'clock p. m. of said d[illegible] 10 o'clock a. m., sell at [illegible] north door of the court hou[illegible] nois, the following real esta[illegible] County of Macon and State [illegible] Forty-four feet off of the no[illegible] (3) in block one (1) in K. [illegible] Decatur, Macon county, Ill[illegible] the deed from William [illegible] Rashford recorded in book [illegible]

But described with greate[illegible] four (44) feet in width off of t[illegible] lot three in block one in [illegible] to Decatur, in the county an[illegible]

Terms of sale—One half c[illegible] of the purchase money to [illegible] April 15, A. D 1894 Defe[illegible] secured by personal securit[illegible] the premises sold, with the [illegible] chaser of paying cash, [illegible] draw interest at 6 per cent [illegible]

july 31-d4w EDWIN PA[illegible]

Chancery [illegible]

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court Sept[illegible] 1893.

William T Moffett et al. [illegible] Laura A. Evans et al—In [illegible]

It appearing by affidavi[illegible] that the defendants, Laur[illegible] T. Evans, Edward Evans, [illegible] Evans, Keith Evans and [illegible] residents of the state of Illi[illegible] given to you that the abo[illegible] [illegible]

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1893.

Henry F. May et al vs. the unknown heirs or legatees of Willis Oglesby, deceased, et al.—In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the defendants, Anna M. Van Riper, John Van Riper, Frank Prather, Emma Prather, William Prather, John Warburton, Mary Ann Warburton, Hezekiah King, John P. Doane, Job P. Doan, Willis King, Harriet H. McCaskill, Daniel McCaskill, Richard Blake, John S. Clark, Lydia E. Clark, Jacob H. Beatty and Mary Elizabeth Beatty, are unknown out of the state of Illinois, and that there are persons interested in this suit as the heirs or legatees of Willis Oglesby, deceased, as the heir or legatees of John S. Adamson, deceased, as the heir or legatees of Henry Prather, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of John Warburton, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Hezekiah King, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of John P. Doane, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Job P. Doane, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Willis King, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Richard Blake, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Edward Trowell, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of William King, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of John S. Clark, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Lydia E. Clark, deceased, and as the heirs or legatees of Jacob H. Beatty, deceased, notice is hereby given to each and all of you that the above named complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of the next September term thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur on the fourth Monday of September, 1893. Now, unless you, the said Anna M. Van Riper, John Van Riper, Frank Prather, Emma Prather, William Prather, John Warburton, Mary Ann Warburton, Hezekiah King, John P. Doane, Job P. Doan, Willis King, Harriet H. McCaskill, Daniel McCaskill, Richard Blake, John S. Clark, Lydia E. Clark, Jacob H. Beatty, Mary Elizabeth Beatty, the unknown heirs or legatees of Willis Oglesby, deceased, the unknown heirs of John S. Adamson deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Henry Prather, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of John Warburton, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Hezekiah King, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of John P. Doane, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Job P. Doan, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Willis King, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Richard Blake, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of William King, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of John S. Clark, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Lydia E. Clark, and the unknown heirs or legatees of Jacob H. Beatty, deceased, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint the same will be taken as confessed against each of you and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 15th day of August, A. D. 1893.

SEAL] E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said Court.

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B. I. STERRETT,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over the Postoffice, Decatur, Ill.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court September Term, A. D. 1893.

William Moffett et al, executors, &c., vs. Laura A. Evans et al. In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the defendants, Laura A. Evans, William Evans, Frank Evans, Harry Evans, David Evans and Clara Evans are non-residents of the state of Illinois, notice is hereby given to you that the above named complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you returnable on the first day of the next September term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, Macon county, on the 4th Monday of September, 1893. Now, unless you, the said Laura A. Evans, William Evans, Frank Evans, Harry Evans, David Evans and Clara Evans and each of you shall appear on the first day of said term of said court and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint the same will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 16th day of August, A. D. 1893.

SEAL] E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Macon County.

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Nicholas Hotel

J. H. GAUVE, Prop. Decatur, Ill.

Highway Notice.

Notice is hereby given that proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Highways of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1893, for the gravelling of the following roads, situated in Macon county, as herein described, to-wit:

Commencing on West Main street (Springfield road) at a point where present gravel on said road ceases, thence running west on said road one mile from place of beginning. This road to be graveled ten feet in width. Said gravel to be fifteen inches deep in the center of road and to be twelve inches deep at the sides.

Also for the Cantrell street road, beginning at the intersection of Peake street, thence running east on said road to the township line. This road to be graveled ten feet in width. Said gravel to be fifteen inches deep in the center and twelve inches deep on the sides, except that portion of the said road which is now filled with brickbats, which is to be graveled under the direction of the highway commissioners.

Also the Sea Bridge road, commencing at a point where the gravel on said road now ceases, thence running east on said road two hundred rods from the place of beginning. This road to be graveled ten feet in width, said gravel to be fifteen inches deep in the center and to be twelve inches deep on the sides.

All gravel to be free from dirt and to be to the satisfaction of the highway commissioners, said gravel to be measured in the wagons on the roads where ready to unload.

The gravelling of the above roads to be let by separate contract by public letting, at so much per yard, to the lowest responsible bidder, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. at the Town Clerk's office in the city of Decatur. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids, if they deem it to be the best interests of the town, and no contract shall be considered as let unless the contractor shall within five days after the letting enter into contract and file a bond with two good and sufficient sureties with the commissioners in the penal sum of double the amount of the contract, payable to the commissioners of the town upon failure to comply with the conditions of his or their contract. Said work to be finished by November 1st, 1893. Each contractor shall spread his own gravel to the satisfaction of the commissioners. Each contractor to furnish his own gravel.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 16th day of August, A. D. 1893.

C. M. CALDWELL,
D. A. MARPLE,
CHAS. WHEELER,
Commissioners of Highways.

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Executors' Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.

In the matter of the estate of James L. Neil, deceased. Ta Agnes E. Nattel, J. Wallace Neil, David S. Neil, Jessie S. Nattel, heirs, creditors and all parties interested in said estate:

You are hereby notified that on Monday, August the 28th, 1893, the executors of the estate of James L. Neil, deceased, will present their final report to the county court of the county and state aforesaid and ask the court to approve the same. At which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose to do so.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1893.

M. J. NEIL,
MARY E. NEIL,
Executors.

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SPECIAL SALE OF

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Prices lower than ever named on good goods.

Buy all you need for the winter and save money.

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TUESDAY EVE., AUG. 22, 1893

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

COUNCIL meeting to-night.

BEEF MALT with celery, the finest tonic, at Dawson's pharmacy.

IRWIN'S royal dyspepsia cure is the best remedy for indigestion.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

THE new Episcopal Prayer Book and Hymnal, at Dawson's book store.

ATTEND Anstead's special sale this evening. All kinds of dress goods at cut prices.

STOP in at Philip Kemper's store and order table supplies. Fruits and vegetables in season.

THOSE new style Cutaway Frock Suits, bell skirts, are beauties. Ask to be shown them at Cheap Charley's.

YOU can get anything you want in the family grocery line at Towne & Murphey's store on South Water street.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

DIPHTHERIA, cholera—disinfect your home. Morehead's deodorizer, 25 cts., at Dawson's drug store.

THE standard pianos and organs on sale at the C. B. Prescott music house are the favorites with the public. Call at the store and see them.

ALL the talk in the world will not convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for scalds, burns, bruises, skin affection and piles.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

IF you can afford to be annoyed by sick headache and constipation, don't use DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these little pills will cure them. W. F. Neisler

TO NIGHT the Prof. Crosthwait dramatic readings will be given at the First M. E. church. There will be dramatic and humorous recitations, impersonations, etc., interspersed with music by local talent.

FOR a sluggish and torpid liver, nothing can surpass Ayer's Pills. They contain no calomel, nor any mineral drug, but are composed of the active principles of the best vegetable cathartics, and their use always results in marked benefit to the patient.

Use Shellabarger's
WHITE LOAF FLOUR.
It is the best.

IT hardly seems possible that 50 cents will buy any size Tennis Shoe, from the smallest to the largest, strictly first quality, and worth $1.00 a pair. 75c buys a ladies' fine Tan Shoe, worth $1.50. $1.00 buys a ladies' $1.75 Kid Button shoe, at

17-d1w POWERS' SHOE STORE.

The Pride of Decatur,
WHITE LOAF FLOUR,
The Blue Ribbon brand.

BLUE GRASS Carriage Shop, one block east of Shellabarger's mill, Cerro Gordo street, has a fine line of Surreys, Buggies, Road and Spring Wagons. Do a general line of repairing, repainting, overhauling, &c. Come and see this line of new work and get rock bottom prices. april7-d&wtf

For the Illinois State Firemen's Tournament the Illinois Central Railroad will sell excursion tickets Decatur to Canton, Ill., on August 21st to 24th inclusive at $4.30 for the round trip, good for return until August 25th. Call on T. Peniwell, city ticket office, 110 Library block, or C. O. Judson, agent, Union depot.

Brown's Business College.

The fall term at this institution will open Tuesday, September 5. Experienced teachers have been employed and will be in charge of the various departments. Our courses of study are the best—thorough and practical. Our graduates and students are in demand. They are employed in almost every business house in Decatur. More than sixty were placed in positions last year. Our rooms are the pleasantest, most convenient and comfortable to be found anywhere. We are offering special rates of tuition until the opening of the term. For further information call at college office, or address

18-d&wlw E. P. IRVING, Prin.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

Regular assembly of Decatur Council, No 16, R. & S. Masters this (Tuesday) evening at 7 30 o'clock. All companions in regular standing are invited. W. R. BRESEE, T. I. M.
N. L. KRONE Rec.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Regular convention of Chevalier Bayard Lodge No. 183, K. of P. this (Tuesday) evening at 8 00 p. m., at Castle Hall, Library Block, for work in ranks of Page and Esquire. Business of special importance. G. O. MCKENZIE, C. C.
T. C. HARDY, K. of R. and S.

DIED.

Near Moody, at 8:15 p m., Aug. 21, of paralysis, Peter Lebo, aged 57 years.

Deceased was a native of Berks county, Pa., and had resided in Macon county 22 years. He leaves a widow and nine children. Jacob Lebo, residing near Harrisburg, is his brother.

The funeral will be held at Salem church Wednesday at 11 a. m.

At 185 West Decatur street, Monday evening, Aug. 21, of hemorrhage, Mrs. Hannah Moore, Wife of W. B. Moore, aged 39 years.

Deceased leaves a husband and several small children.

MARRIED.

At 511 East North street the home of the bride's parents, August 20, by Rev. M. L. Wagner, of the English Lutheran church, Isaac Weakly and Miss Myrtle Pond.

The couple left to day for St. Louis, where they will reside.

Match Your Dress.

Your white or light-colored shoes can be made any desirable shade by Powers' new process. POWERS' SHOE STORE.

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Wanted.

A partner with a small capital in a well established business in Decatur. For particulars apply at this office. 19-33t

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's nov5-d&wtf

TEACHERS AT SCHOOL.

Attendance at the Macon County Institute—Address by Dr. Hewett.

The annual Macon County Teachers' Institute, now in progress at the High School, opened Monday afternoon with a large attendance, and Supt. Donahey introduced Dr. E. C. Hewett, of Normal, who delivered an address on the purpose of institutes. Dr. Hewett made his first talk to teachers 43 years ago. He spoke of the vast amount of money and time devoted to teaching and building up character among the youth of the land, and he dwelt at considerable length upon the importance of teachers fitting themselves for the responsible positions they occupy in the schools.

Supt. Donahey in conducting the institute is assisted by the following corps of instructors: J. H. Coonradt, zoology, botany and physics; W. M. Evans, history and grammar; Geo. E. Wilkinson, geography and physiology. The singing will be led by Miss Sallie McCall, and Miss Ida Hockingberry will demonstrate her method of teaching first arithmetic. The institute will meet daily at 8 a. m., and close at 6:15 p. m.

THE REGISTRATION.

The following teachers are now in attendance, with more to come:

Kate G. Aikin, Laura Aikin, Blanche Alsop, Mamie Brand, Oka Calvin, May Cochran, Loccie Binnion, A. D. Cornell, I. I. Cramer, John Cross, H. F. Davidson, M. E. Davis, Eva Dills, Grace Dills, Essie Dills, Ella Dixon, Agnes Drinkall, Daniel File, Ella M. Ford, Myrtle Garver, Maggie Holderman, J. F. Harbert, Emma F. Harpstrite, Clara Hawkes, Anna W. Hayden, Ida Hockingberry, Celeste Hoffman, Clara E. Hoffman, Emma E. Hord, Eva Humphrey, F. S. Hunsley, Lucinda Johnson, May Keethee, W. J. Kelly, Nannie Kendall, Mrs. M. Kerr, John Loeffler, H. Marie McPherson, Sallie McCall, Cora McGurrey, Laura Martin, Alice J. Meade, Anna Meade, Mary W. Moore, Mary McGee, Bertha Norman, Lizzie Pettyjohn, V. Q. Odor, Cora Reed, Ollie Reed, Carrie Robarts, Rosa B. Rankle, Lulu Taggart, Elmer K. Towl, George W. Urbin, Anna S. Vetterliet, Clement C. Walter, Belle Wheeler, Lulu Wheeler, John F. Wicks, Mollie Williams, Mabel E. Wilson, all of Decatur; W. M. Austin, Boody; Jennie Batchelder, Warrensburg; Edith Bearner, Decatur; Olive M. Bear, Decatur; W. R. Benton, Emery; Belle Prairis; H. W. Blankenship, Niantic; Chas. M. Borchers, Oakley, Boby; Clara Bothel, Decatur, Blue Mound; Emma Bowlby, Maroa, Pleasant Ridge; Alice Bowman, Oakley, Boody; Flora Bowman, Oakley; Leona Bowman, Oakley, Mattie Brown, Oreana; E. F. Caldwell Illiopolis; Ada Combs, Macon; Myrtle Craw, Blue Mound; Otta Dawson, Lovington; James H. Dickey, Argenta; Alne Dillow, Cerro Gordo. Inez Dingman, Niantic; B. G. Duncan, Lintner; Eliza Eble, Maroa; Cora Ekiss, Dalton City; Florence Ekiss, Dalton City; Charles J. Fesler, Emery; Joseph Flynn, Blue Mound; Annie Florey, Decatur. Anna Foster, Elwin; Sam W. Gassaway, Niantic; Lily M. Girler, Emery; Walter Glenn, Macon; Charles Gott, LaPlace, S. A. D. Gray, Warrensburg; Joselyn M. Hankins, Argenta; Minerva J. Harritt, Blue Mound; J. M. Heckman, Cerro Gordo; T. Harrod, Niantic; B. T. Hickman, Niantic; Alma Hiser, Cerro Gordo; H. H. Hopkins, Boody; J. H. Housman, Harristown; Clara Housman, Harristown; Edwin Huff, Oakley; G. W. Hyland, Moawequa; Hattie S. Jones, Maroa; Maggie Kelly, Oreana; R. J. Keno, Elwin; Ada Kile, Cisco; Sadie Kile, Cisco; Sallie Ledden, Forsythe; Flora A. Livingston, Elwin; M E. Lockhart, Niantic; Mollie McCollum, Taylorville; M. W. McHenry, Harristown; Carrie R. Mallory, Elwin; Jessie Mallory, Elwin; Lulus A. Melvin, Cisco; Emma Merker, Emery; Jay Morrison, Oreana; Frances J. Newman, Clinton; Lou Newman, Clinton; D. L. Parkhurst, Emery; Katie Roach, Cerro Gordo; Nannie Ryan, Harristown; W. J. Scott, Mt. Zion; Wm. Shelly, Moawequa; Anna Shewmaker, Maroa; Ruth Shewmaker, Maroa; E. W. Slater, Oreana; H. H. Slater, Harristown; Jesse L. Smith, Macon; Nora E. Smith, Boody; Laura Smith, Maroa; Lennie F. Smith, Macon; Anna Spooner, Blue Mound; Fannie Stackhouse, Argenta; W. H. Stonebraker, Maroa; Maggie Stout, Emery; Alpha Stewart, Argenta; Carrie H. Stewart, Argenta; Emma Stewart, Oreana; Mrs. Mabel Thrift, Emery; J. E. Underwood, Warrensburg; Geo. Wheeler, Sangamon. H. C. Wheeler, Harristown; Arthur L. Wilkinson, Argenta; H. Winter, Warrensburg; Mary M. Wood, Decatur; O. P. Yates, Cerro Gordo.

SENT OUT IN RED INK.

Form of the Notice Cutting Off Pensions—Time Limit, 60 Days.

Among the 33 notices lately received in Decatur cutting off the pensions of as many old soldiers is the following printed in red ink, except the blanks filled in by black ink:

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 10, 1893.

SIR: I have to advise you that it appears from medical evidence on file in this bureau that you are not rateably disabled for earning a support by manual labor under act of June 27, 1890, from the effects of rheumatism. Payment of your certificate has therefore been suspended pending the receipt of such answer as you may desire to make; all statements of yourself or others to be made under oath.

If, after a period of sixty days from this date, you have failed to satisfactorily rebut the evidence referred to, and no sufficient reasons why an extension of time should be made, your name will be dropped from the pension roll. Such evidence must be submitted in the form of affidavits, and the envelope inclosing them to this bureau should be addressed to the commissioner of pensions and marked in the lower left hand corner, "Finance Division." This letter should be returned therewith.

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM LOCHREN,
Commissioner.

In the above case the certificate in which the beneficiary was granted his pension, the disability was "neuralgia, the result of measles." He is not known in the records at Washington as a victim of rheumatism. In the Democratic eagerness to cut off pensions it is plain that the commissioner and his clerks are both careless and indifferent in describing the disability.

World's Fair Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Coleman, Roy Coleman, George Wood, Miss Bird Austin, Mr. and Mrs. William Curran, A. O. Boles, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Coy, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Strattan, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Watts, of Ivesdale, Walter Boggs, John Ward and wife, Mrs. Peter Perl, W. A. Holman, Maggie Decourcey, have gone to Chicago.

Frank Williams, M. S. U. H. Brown and sister, George Z. Jones, Miss Nellie Howes, Mrs. Emma Reed, Mrs. Sue Smith, of Kansas, Master Dean Cool, W. I. Lowrey, Mrs. Reed Spencer, Misses Estella and Jessie Spencer, have returned and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carmean, Mr. and Mrs. George Q. Baker, Mrs. Sites and daughter, Grace, Miss Maud Carmean, Mr. and Mrs. John Green, Mrs. Clara Claughan will go to-morrow night.

Cheap Excursions to Decatur.

The Decatur Trotting association has arranged for cheap excursions on all railroads centering in Decatur for Thursday, August 31st. This will give our merchants a chance to do business with those who come to Decatur on these trains, and is one of the benefits of the trotting association to the city.

CITY LEGISLATION.

Shut Out a Saloon in the Fifth Ward—Sewer Ordinances.

More than the usual amount of business in the time consumed was transacted at the meeting of the city council last night, Mayor Moffitt in the chair. Ald. Ferguson was absent, owing to illness.

Property owners on Union street from Main to Wood street asked that the street be paved only 25 feet wide, instead of 30 feet, the owners agreeing to pay for 28 feet. Received and placed on record.

J. B. Albert's application for reduction of license for the merry-go-round from $1 a day to a lower sum, was laid on the table.

The suggestion of J. W. Mitchell and 30 other property owners that the name of Edmund street be changed to Leafland avenue was referred to the streets and alleys committee.

It was ordered that the grade be established for a five-foot brick walk on the east side of North Jasper street from Eldorado to North.

Ordered that a brick sidewalk be laid on west side of North Broadway from East Main to alley first north.

Ordered that a 12-foot walk be laid on the west side of North Broadway from East Prairie to the first alley south.

Ordered that the brick sidewalk on the east side of North Edward street, between Eldorado and North streets, be raised to grade.

The special committee appointed to investigate the funds and using surplus of such funds, if any could be found, submitted a report stating that $2000 could be spared from the park fund, $600 from public improvements, and that the salary of the water works engineer could be paid from the salary fund, which latter transfer would allow $3620 for increase in water fund. It was recommended that the money be used to lay all water pipe now unlaid, the work to be done by contract. The report was adopted.

Engineer Burgess reported the completion of the water works reservoir.

The application of Oscar Knobloch for a license to open a saloon at 808 North Jasper street, was denied by a vote of 7 to 6, Alderman Holman in a speech strongly opposed the issuance of the license, and Alderman Johnson made a strong and logical address in favor of the new saloon.

George A. Keller was granted a license to sell liquor at the Decatur Trotting association park.

THE TAX LEVY.

An ordinance for the annual tax levy was read and referred to the finance committee. Only two items were noted—$6,300 for interest on bonds and $6,243 for the sinking fund.

SEWERS.

The ordinance for a sewer on Hickory street, 400 feet, was read and passed. Estimated cost, $290.

The ordinance for the sewer and branches on College street was read and approved. Estimated cost, $675.

The ordinance for a branch of the Union street sewer, in alley between College and Edward street, was read and passed. Estimated cost, $760.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Johnson: That a 10-inch sewer tile be laid on the east side of Stone street, from south side of North street to the first alley north, to connect with the lateral in said alley. Referred.

By Johnson: That a 5-foot brick walk be laid on the south side of North street, between Witt and Stone. Referred.

By Dodd, Irwin, Stewart and Montgomery: That a warrant be drawn in favor of the chairman of the finance committee for $2,885.41, to be expended in purchasing certain time warrants on the cities of Monticello and Macon, Ill., as per instructions of the finance committee and in accordance with the resolutions passed by the city council. Adopted.

By Irwin: That necessary proceedings be brought in the county court to levy and assess special taxes to defray the cost of constructing a sewer, commencing at and connecting with the north side of the east branch of Broadway street sewer on Sangamon street, opposite the central line of the alley, running north and south between North Broadway street and Morgan street, which said sewer is to be constructed from said beginning point north on said alley to to the south line of Orchard street; that said proceedings shall be begun and conducted in compliance with the ordinance relating thereto and in accordance with the statues in such case made and provided. Adopted.

By Irwin: That the city attorney prepare an ordinance embracing all the sidewalks, the grading and laying of which has been approved by the city council since the adoption of the last ordinance for such purpose. Adopted.

By Shade and White: That the city clerk advertise for bids for laying water pipe now delivered on Condit, East Wood and East Decatur streets; also for the hauling and laying of the 6-inch pipe not yet delivered. All work to be done under city inspection and subject to regular tests. Adopted.

SEWER BIDS.

The bids for sewer building were read and referred to the public improvement committee for immediate report. The contracts were awarded to the H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating Co., and to Charles Giblin, the latter getting the short sewers at 57c per linear foot.

The city clerk was authorized to advertise for bids for the sewer on Condit street extending west from Warren street.

Ald. Montgomery offered a motion to the effect that the clerk notify the park board of action of the council in reference to the park fund. Adopted.

Ald. Watkins said the marshal had failed to notify all members of a certain committee that there was to be a meeting of said committee, and he suggested that every alderman should receive notice. Mayor Moffitt turned to Marshal Lehman and said every committeeman must be notified.

See the Prizes

Offered by the Decatur Trotting Association to the bicycle races. They are on exhibition in the window of Otto E. Curtis & Bro's jewelry store. Many of the crack riders from a distance will be here, as the prizes are as large as the "League of American Wheelmen" will allow by their by-laws.

DON'T LIKE THE LAW.

Examinations in Lunacy Cases Are Much Too Long.

Judge Nelson of the county court has not had many cases under the new law governing the examinations into the sanity of persons but he had enough to satisfy him. The law requires the jury sitting in an insane case to conduct a personal examination into the history of the case and make a complete record of the same. Section 9 provides a set of "interrogatories" which are on a blank five feet long.

The examinations are very tedious, the whole family history covering a period of three generations, is gone into fully, with an account of physical defects and diseases of parents and children of patient, habits of patient's parents from childhood up, etc. A part of the questions which the examining physician is called upon to ask in complying with the letter of the law is:

At what place was the patient's father born?

Is the patient troubled with corns?

What is the patient's creed? Is he a church member? If so, what church does he attend?

Is the patient a college graduate?

Has he been successful in business?

Did the father use tobacco?

How old was grandmother on maternal side at birth of patient's mother?

Has any member of the family ever displayed signs of idiocy?

Was mother a neat housekeeper?

The authorities complain that the interrogatories bring out nothing bearing directly on the question of the insanity of the patient. They take the stand that the examination of the court is directed to the one object of deciding the necessity for consignment to an asylum. A prominent physician has called attention to the fact that the questions required to be answered, bear on every other subject than the question of mental aberration.

There is no doubt but that the law will be repealed at the next session of the legislature.

FIRST WEEK IN SEPTEMBER.

Illinois Cities will Then be Visited By the World's Fair Visitors.

The Illinois commissioners of the World's Fair are arranging for a series of excursions to the principal cities of the state, which is intended to give the management of the exposition some idea of the magnitude of the commonwealth in which Chicago and Jackson park are located.

It is expected that the trips to the interior will begin the first week of September. The Illinois board will have as its guests members of the national commission, the local directory, foreign exhibitors, officials and others, who will be taken to the principal productive centers and be shown the resources of the state as a whole. While the details have not been arranged, it is understood that the commissioners will endeavor to take the visitors to Rockford, Aurora, Joliet, Rock Island, Quincy, East St. Louis, Cairo, Springfield, Decatur, Bloomington, Danville, Champaign and possibly other places. The effort will be to let them see the variety of industries and the mineral and agricultural resources of Illinois. According to the understanding now the railroads will tender the necessary transportation and the Illinois board will be the host for the occasion to see that the guests do not lack for comfort or attention. The trip will be made early in September.

The Illinois commissioners feel warranted in announcing a half rate on all trunk lines in the state for Illinois Day, which will call to the fair a great concourse of citizens of the state next Thursday.

A New Order.

Last evening the Home Forum Benefit Order was organized in Decatur at the office of the Drs. Collins by L. E. Fish of Moline, grand secretary. It is an insurance society. The officers are: President, Dr. Naomi Pierce-Collins; E. J. Strader, first vice president; Miss Etta Andrews, second vice president; M. Bauer, secretary; C. J. Bryan, treasurer; Mrs. Alice Bevan, historian; Mrs. Clara J. Flory, orator; Mrs Mollie A. Rigney, assistant orator; Mrs. Matilda Price, porter; Dr. A. L. Collins, guard; Drs. A. L. and Naomi Pierce-Collins, medical examiners; Mrs. Mary Pierce, R. F. David-son and James Pierce, board of directors.

Have Caused Damage.

This has been a good year for insects of various kinds and considerable damage has been caused by them. It is said that corn is being injured by both cutworms and a grub worm which are working away at the roots of the corn. Grasshoppers are also getting in their work on the more tender vegetation. The army of crickets are rather more disagreeable than dangerous. Another insect which is unusual is that which is said to be gnawing through the stems of apples and so weakening them that they cannot bear the weight of the apple, causing them to fall before maturity.

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Sample Dolls at Half Price.

We show a lot of sample dolls at half original cost. These dolls have to be seen to be appreciated.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Closing Out.

During this week we will close out our Refrigerators at less than cost. Call and examine them. C. L. GRISWOLD & CO.

NEW + GOODS

—AT—

JOHNSTON'S,

151 NORTH WATER STREET, DECATUR.

WE are already showing many New Goods throughout our store; New Dress Goods, New Silks, New Ginghams, New Prints, New Table Linens, New Lace Curtains, New Carpets, New Rugs, New Ladies', Children's and Men's Shoes, all at reasonable prices.

Dress Goods.

75c Buys a regular $1.00 quality of Henrietta.
76c Buys the new Hop Sacking Dress Goods, worth $1.00 a yard.
38c Buys our Printed China Silk, worth 75c a yard.
25c Buys all the new colors of Henrietta Dress Goods, usually sold at 35c a yard.

Wash Goods.

GINGHAMS—New Dress styles on sale at 8¼, 10, 12½c a yard.

PONGEES—New fall colors on sale at 15c.

Dark colored ground Pongees and Satteens just received at 15 and 20c a yard.

SATEENS—New dark styles on sale at 12½, 15, 20 and 25c.

Polka Dot Sateen in black and navy, just opened, fine quality, at 20c a yard.

Polka Dot Calico, in navy blue and black, and plenty of white cotton tape for trimming same.

Muslins.

19c Buys an extra quality of Sheeting, worth 25c a yard.
5c buys an regular 7c quality of Muslin.

CARPETS.

New Fall Carpets just opened and on sale.

We have the best all wool two-ply Carpets on sale at 65c, 69c and 75c yd.

Other Ingrain Carpets at 20c, 25c, 38c, 44c, 48c and 59c a yard.

Hemp Carpet at 17c, 19c, and 25c a yard.

Rugs at 75c, 98c, $1.48, $1.98 and $2.48. See them.

Window Shades at 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c and 75c each.

Remnant Dep't.

We have on hand lots of Remnants of Dress Goods, Ginghams, Calicoes, Pongees, Outings—and in fact every kind of goods, that you can often save considerable on by buying for children's wear, as they are closed out at less than value.

Lace Curtains.

Special Cut Prices for all next week to reduce our stock.

They sell at 98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.48, $1.98, $2.50, $3 to $4.95 a pair.

SHOES.

We have built up a splendid shoe trade and are selling the best shown for the money in Decatur, as hundreds can say.

98c Will buy a pair of Ladies' Black or Tan Oxfords, worth $1.50.
$1.48 See our $1.48 Pat. Tipped Button Shoes, worth $2.00.
$1.98 Buys a regular $3.00 Kid Button Shoe.
$2.48 Buys a $4.00 Ladies' Kid Button Shoe.

Ladies' Wraps and Jackets.

We have quite an assortment of Ladies' Jackets, in tan and black, and Ladies' Wraps for Fall wear, on sale.

Also a lot of Children's Jackets to close out at Bargain Prices.

Umbrellas.

Any one needing a good Sun Umbrella can save money, as we are offering special drives in good umbrellas.

See the styles at $1 48, $1.75 and $1.98. Extra values

CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,

151 North Water Street.

SPECIAL HAT+SALE.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY ONLY.

Former Prices, $2.50, $2.25, $2.00,

YOUR CHOICE FOR

$1.25 EACH.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

Tan, Heliotrope, French Terra Cotta, Smoked Pearl.

LATEST COLORS IN INGRAINS, with beautiful 20 and 30 inch Frieze to match. *Do not be misled—they have not gone out of style.*

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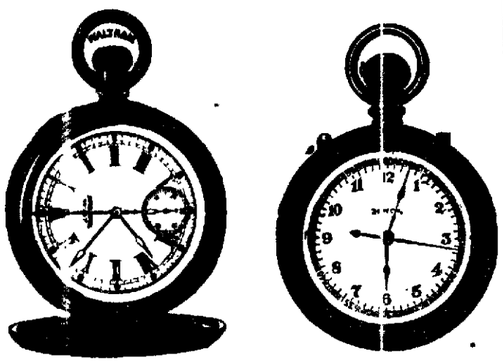

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Commence, See Our Line of

HORSE TIMERS, SPLIT SECONDS, 5 Minute Repeaters With Chronograph, Etc.

If you own a fine horse you will be interested in these goods.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China

+SHOES+

—FOR—

ONE DOLLAR

We have a big lot of Ladies' Dongola Kid Shoes which have retailed regularly at $2 and $2.75, and they were worth the money for they are all solid. The sizes run from 2½ to 7. They are mostly small sizes and therefore most of them suited to the ladies of Decatur. We will sell these shoes absolutely without any reserve until five hundred pairs are sold at the uniform price of ONE DOLLAR PER PAIR. Come while you can get them. In stringent times make your money buy more. Here is an opportunity in Ladies' Shoes such as you never before heard of. Come and see them and we know that you will buy.

+ FRANK H. COLE, +

B. F. BOBO, Manager,

148 EAST MAIN STREET

SLEEPING ON AIR

Is Certainly a LUXURY This Hot Weather.

THE AIR MATTRESS is the greatest invention of the modern age in the way of bedding. The Finest Bed in the World—Positively the Coolest Bed in Summer and the Warmest in Winter.

In case of sickness it is invaluable, as it affords absolute rest, no matter what position assumed by the patient.

EVERY HOME SHOULD HAVE ONE.

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TUESDAY EVE., AUG. 22, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Make Your Money Go Far.

Wire broilers, 9, 10 and 12 cents; wooden chopping bowls, 10, 20 and 25 cents; whisk brooms, 10, 15 and 20 cents; toy brooms, 10 cents; regular brooms, 10, 15, 25, 30, 35 and 40 cents, at

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW'S.

DERR & SON, tailors.

TEETH, $4—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

HUFFMAN'S Carabet cigar for a good smoke. a21-tf

IRWIN'S RAPID RELIEF cures all aches and pains.

FOR all skin diseases use Irwin's Skin Ointment.

THE Grand Army Post will meet this evening.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25dtf

SMOKE the Little Rose cigars, made by Joseph Michl.

USE Excelsior hair promoter, for sale by I. Irwin & Co.

QUAKER DOCTORS' remedies at Dawson's pharmacy.

UPPER or lower set of teeth, $3.00. J. M. Blythe, 157 E. Main street.

You are invited to call and inspect our fall line of clothing. CHEAP CHARLEY.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

Boom Decatur by using White Loaf Flour.

HUFFMAN'S Carabet cigar will please you. a21-tf

HEAR Prof. Crosthwait recite "Ben Hur's Chariot Race" to-night at First M. E. church.

SEVERAL choice musical selections will be rendered to-night at the First M. E. church.

THE Decatur Guards will leave for Chicago to-night, going by way of Bloomington.

IF you want first-class Oil and Gaso line, buy of the Paragon Oil Company. Telephone 417. aug21.dtf

DON'T miss Prof. Crosthwait's recitations and impersonations to-night at the First M. E. church.

OUR complete line of Fall and Winter Clothing is now on our counters ready for our trade. Call and see it.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

PROF. CROSTHWAIT'S rendition of "The Vagabonds" is said by many to be "equal to a sermon." Hear it to-night.

WHITE LOAF FLOUR The Best.

ON August 23d the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Chicago and return at one fare, good until August 28 to return.

IN the circuit court Emma J. Mullers has filed a bill for a divorce from her husband, Theo. Mullers, alleging non-support.

IT is stated that the park commissioners have given the fair grounds park a name which is to stand for all time. It is "Fair-Lawn." How do you like it?

THERE will be a Quaker Festival Thursday night at the Antioch Baptist church. The committee in charge includes Sister Stewart and Sister Vernon.

HORACE DAVENPORT, who was reported to have had his pension cut off, called at this office to say: "Please state that I have not been notified that my pension has been stopped. I have not received a notice yet; but they can take it away if they want to, I don't care."

WARM weather makes a demand upon the vitality which you should be prepared to meet. In order to overcome its debilitating effects, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It purifies and invigorates the blood, sharpens the appetite, and makes the weak strong.

MISS DORA MYERS, of Webster street, was pleasantly surprised last evening by a large party of friends. The surprise was a complete one and was arranged by Misses Bessie Siewers and Maggie Hockisch. There were about 50 in attendance. Refreshments were served.

ON account of Illinois Day the Wabash railroad will sell round trip tickets to Chicago at half fare. Tickets will be sold for all trains of Wednesday and for trains leaving Decatur Thursday at 12:30 a. m. Tickets are good returning up to and including the train leaving Chicago at 9:05 p. m. Monday, Aug. 28th.

THE remains of the late Thomas McCullough, who died of typhoid fever August 18 at St. Louis, were brought to Decatur last night and taken to the J. A. Reeve undertaking rooms. The burial was at Greenwood cemetery this morning. The deceased was 29 years old and a brother of Mrs. E. Hall of this city. He was at one time a resident of Decatur.

County Sunday School Convention.

To the pastors of the several churches and the superintendents of the different schools in the city of Decatur, together with the delegates appointed: You are urged to attend the County Sunday school Convention, to be held at Oreana Thursday and Friday, the 24th and 25th instant.

J. R. GORIN, Pres.
GEO. T. TUCKER, Sec.

PROSPECT OF TROUBLE.

The Park Commissioners Need all of the Money in the Fund.

Last night at the council meeting it was given out cold that $2,000 would be taken from the public park fund and used for laying water pipes now on the streets and rusting in the dew from exposure. It is evident that there is lack of harmony of action between the aldermen and the park commissioners in the projected deal.

One of the park commissioners said today in substance. "It takes two to make a bargain. I do not think that the $2,000 will be used for anything but park purposes. We have $4,200 in the fund now. We spent $1,200 last year, and this year all the money will be expended at Fair-Lawn. We will not have enough to meet our bills, as we are going to put in a system of sewers, and do other work. Not a penny of the $4,200 can be spared. We did intend to take out the mound in Lincoln Square, but it is possible that that we cannot do that this year, and the concrete walks planned for Central Park will have to be deferred. No, sir; the council cannot take $2,000 from our fund. We need it, and we will keep it."

Surprise at the Brunswick.

Miss Ella Gross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gross, was the pleased victim of a successful surprise party visitation at the Hotel Brunswick, planned by a number of Miss Ella's friends. Refreshments were served in the dining room by the hotel waiters, who took as much interest in the party as did the surprisers. It was a merry occasion and was thoroughly enjoyed by Misses Grace Pendleton, of Chicago, Grace Foster, Emma Stratton, Mollie Steinbach, Josie Kerr, Maude McCune, Mollie Froelke, Homer Tuttle, Clarence Sievers, James Vagus, Harry Henry, Herbert Armstrong, Jerry Nicholson, Ed McDermott and George Dunston.

Fined $5 and Costs.

The hogpen case of The City of Decatur against J. J. Lyons, residing on South Franklin street, received attention in Justice Odor's court to-day. It was a trial by jury, and it was proven by eleven witnesses that the hogpen in question is an awful nuisance. Lyons said he had an average of 15 hogs in the pen. Attorney J. M. Lee represented the city, and Attorney Leforgee the defendant. The jurymen were J. C. Latshaugh, C. G. Bannister, W. T. Finkey, C. W. Crews, W. H. Wilson and John A. Songer. The jury found the defendant guilty, assessing a fine of $5.00 and costs. The total will be about $35.

The Dog Case.

Officer Coe will not have his trial in Justice Odor's court for cruelty to a dog until to-morrow afternoon. Coe, it will be remembered, killed Fred Norman's valuable dog, because the tax tag was not on the collar. It had been lost. It is charged that Coe dragged the dog to an alley, filled it full of bullets and finally left it dead. The right to kill the dog is questioned. An effort will be made to show that Coe was guilty of extreme cruelty. Attorney Leforgee will appear for the prosecution.

Planning for a Hunt.

The members of the Decatur Hunting Party, who make yearly trips to the northern grounds in the vicinity of Waucedah, Mich., will meet this evening at the city council rooms to confer about the proposed trip on September 25. D. S. Stellabarger, William Traver, W. B. Chambers, W. H. Starr, James Millikin, D. A. Moffit and others are members of the organization. This party made itself famous last fall by giving a swell game banquet at the St. Nicholas hotel. It was a memorable occasion.

Had Plenty of Money.

Eugene Hoagland, arrested in Decatur yesterday by Constable Cook for taking his own horse from a party who held it for $25 for labor and feed, was taken to Warrensburg last evening. He had a hearing before Justice Clausen and was acquitted on that charge, but he was fined $25 and costs for carrying a concealed weapon. Sam Ritchie prosecuted Hoagland, and Attorney Redman of Decatur defended him. Hoagland had nearly $350 in cash and promptly paid his fine.

The 99 Cent Store Fire.

The stock of goods at the 99c Store is a total loss. Mr. Saxton states that the insurance he carried was so small that by the time he pays his debts he will have nothing to begin business with, and while there is no doubt but that he could get another stock, he states that owing to the extreme dull times he thinks it best to resume his former occupation as traveling salesman. He has had ten years' experience on the road and will have no trouble in getting a good position.

Died of Old Age.

Mrs. W. R. Clark died this morning at 8 o'clock at her home 1413 East North street, aged 73 years. The deceased was born in Clairfield, O., and has been a resident of this state for 27 years. Her husband died August 27, 1892, of injuries received from a fall. The funeral will take place to-morrow at 11 o'clock from the First M. E. church, Rev. J. F. Finley officiating.

Rode from Chicago.

S. W. Dixon, of Wateeka, arrived in the city this morning to visit his brother, W. A. Dixon, on North Water street. He has been visiting the World's Fair and made the trip from Chicago to Sangamon on his bicyle. At Sangamon he boarded the Wabash train. He was much fatigued by the ride. He stated that in one day he covered 87 miles.

The Dates for Closing.

Secretary F. B. Mueller of the Decatur bicycle meeting to be held here during the race meeting on Friday, September 1st, has received a large number of entries for the races on that day. The entries for the handicap race closed Friday, August 25, and for the other races, August 29th.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum.

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

Business Is Better.

There is a decided visible improvement in business in Decatur and Central Illinois. Since gold has been coming our way from Europe those who had become affected with the panicky spirit that followed the outgrowth of the senseless howl that the purchase of 4,500,000 ounces of silver a month, which was paid for by the government with silver certificates crisp and brand new, was about to ruin the country, and withdrew their money from the banks of the country and thus took it out of circulation, have largely recovered from their fright and are again depositing their money with the banks. Everybody who withdrew their deposits ought to follow this example. If they should do so they would themselves be surprised how business had again picked up. This is a time to throw off foolish fears about our finances. Every dollar in the country is nominally as good as every other dollar, and there is not the slightest cause for alarm. If there was you could not go to a bank and get gold as you can at any Decatur bank, and for that matter in any bank in Central Illinois. Re-deposit your money and stop this foolishness, so that business may improve more and more.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Leroy Walton is home from Chicago.

John Grass visited Moawequa to-day.

Berry Hunter left last night for Chicago.

Mrs. N. Whittig is in Chicago visiting friends.

J. W. Vance came up from Springfield to-day.

James Whitly is visiting friends in Mt. Vernon.

M. F. Kanan is in Macon to-day on business.

J. S. Ater, of Cerro Gordo, was in the city to-day.

Capt. Wm. Grason, of Oakley, is in the city to-day.

Will Swim returned to-day from Springfield.

Mrs. Chas. H. Brown has returned from Chicago.

D. L. Wright, of the C., B. & Q., is in the city to-day.

Lester Wymond, of Bloomington, is in the city to-day.

R. Spencer is transacting business in Moawequa to-day.

Sidney Dedman and daughter left today for Moawequa.

John Finn, the grocer, is in Centralia to-day on business.

John Millspaugh left to-day for Peoria on Vandalia business.

K. E. Palmer of the Rock Island road was in the city to-day.

P. H. Hunt and D. W. Brenneman left to-day for Tuscola.

Mrs. O. F. Spaulding left to-day for her home in Champaign.

Walter Keeler has returned from a visit to the World's Fair.

J. W. Graham, of Louisville, Ky., is the guest of M. Einstein.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Scheer, of Bethany, are in the city, to-day.

J. F. McCord, of Bethany, transacted business in Decatur to-day.

Miss Jessie Spencer and Ella Weaver have returned from Chicago.

Mrs. James Freeman is visiting Mrs. John Freeman at Moawequa.

Mrs. Karl Wiefla and children are visiting relatives in Columbus, O.

Mrs. R. F. Davidson left to-day for Kechi, Kansas, to visit relatives.

Robert Warnick and William Burnett left to-day for Neodesha, Kansas.

Charles Shilling, the East End druggist, will leave to-night for Chicago.

Mrs. O. B. Gorin and daughter, Miss Gussie, will visit Springfield to-morrow.

B. I. Sterrett and family have returned home after a week's visit at the World's Fair.

Officer Lord and Ald. White left today for the World's Fair to be gone over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Schmachtenberger and Mrs. J. F. Cassell left to-day for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pittenger returned home last evening from a two weeks' visit in the East.

Arthur N. Athens arrived home this morning from Trinidad, Colo., via Denver and Kansas City.

Dr. Huston Ford of St. Louis is in the city. He is connected with the Harrison automatic telephone invention.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, of Bristol, Tenn., en route to Chicago, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. West to-day.

Mrs. J. E. Long and daughter, Miss Annis Long, will return from Chicago on Thursday. They have been gone several weeks.

Attorney A. H. Mills has returned from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where he visited a brother who is ill. His condition is still very bad.

L. C. Ellis, Hiram Johnson, L. B. C. Leffingwell, David Hanks and their families will leave to-morrow morning for Rea's Bridge on a fishing excursion.

M. Stutzenberger, formerly salesman for Haydock Bros., St. Louis, has accepted a position as traveling salesman through Illinois and Indiana in the interest of The Linthicum Schlosser Carriage Co., of Defiance, Ohio.

The Land Cases.

Judge Wright in the circuit court this forenoon gave his decision in the Burrows and Peddecord land cases, in which eastern parties are plaintiffs. The demurrers entered by the defendants were overruled and they were given until October 16th to answer. Judge Vail will hold a session of court Friday at 9 a. m.

Bad Outlook for Corn.

Coming down on the Central train from Chicago, Attorney Sterrett said he noticed that the fields generally north of Bloomington are in a parched condition, and that the corn crop is practically ruined for want of rain. South of Bloomington the corn looks better.

Those Contracts.

P. H. Hunt & Co. have signed all contracts and filed them in good faith and are now waiting for Mayor Moffitt to affix his signature. The mayor, it is said, did not sign the other contracts until the work was finished and accepted by the council.

Born.

To Charles Hardy and wife, at 240 West Pugh street, Sunday, August 20, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frahlman, No. 660 East Lawrence street, August 21, a son.

Postoffice Notice.

On and after September 1st the general delivery and stamp windows at the Decatur postoffice will open at 7 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. The money order office will open at 8 a. m. and close at 5 p. m.

Monticello Fair.

The Monticello fair opened yesterday and will close Friday night. Immense crowds are in attendance. The "agricultural races" are said to be some of the best.

WE guarantee Monarch mixed paints equal to any paint in the city. At Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

AFTER A HUMAN WRETCH.

The Douglas County Farmers Will Hang Louis Myers if He is Caught.

Louis G. Myers, wanted for two assaults and attempted murder, is surrounded in a swamp on Brushy Fork, six miles from Oakland, by 250 men. If he is caught he will be lynched. There seems to be no escape for him now. Myers is armed with a repeating rifle, shotgun and two revolvers. Myers called on Mrs. Will, a neighbor, Friday, assaulted her and left her for dead. An hour later he met his niece, assaulted her, and left her hanging to a tree. Returning home, he armed himself, whipped his wife and daughter, and hid in the swamps. A passer-by found the girl, released her in time to save her life, and obtained her story. Mrs. Will's condition had in the meantime been discovered, and the country rose in pursuit. Myers was traced to Brushy Fork and sighted once. He was fired at by 50 men and returned the volley wounding one man. Saturday night he attempted to escape, and in an exchange of shots wounded another of his pursuers. The besieging party was heavily reinforced yesterday. His hiding place is in Douglas county, and the sheriff is with the pursuers.

Myers is a desperate character, having been released from the penitentiary only a year. He has repeatedly stated previous to committing these two last crimes that he would die before he would ever go the penitentiary again, and these threats dampen materially the courage of the farmers who are seeking his capture.

Mid-Summer Party.

A sunflower party was given last evening at the residence of Miss Bertha Barr, in honor of her 19th birthday. Games and music were the amusements of the evening. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Bertha Barr, Theresa Frank, Amelia Abel, Ida White, Lena Priest, Lena Plumer, Minnie Meyer, Lena Meyer, Anna Sherer, Clara Harkness, Ella Coble, Pauline Reinstarf, Sophia Hambrecht, Henrietta Metz, Bonnie Hutsinpillar, Blanche Hover, Ida Weigand and Messrs. Algie Odor, Guy Harkness, Art Lyons, Walter Martin, Joe Yeagle, George Dunston, Louie Bochart, Willie Denz, Willie Graham, Chas. Martin, Albert Reubsamen, Frank Hart, Jim McEvoy, Will McGorray, John Zellar, Amza Barr, Ed. Schaniel, Frank Plumer.

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Sales of Real Estate.

Levi Hiser, to John Sawyer, sr., 20 acres in the west half of the northwest quarter of 11, 17, 2 east, lying east of the Illinois Central Railroad—$1,700.

Claybourn Jones to James A. Wilson, 6½ acres in the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of 1, 15, 3 east—$200.

Frank Stroud to George L. Miller, lots 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, in block 14, of the town of Maroa—$2,000.

Samuel Boneham to Levi Wiser, 14 acres and 12½ rods in 33, 18, 3 east—$1,055.

The Numismatists in Convention.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—The annual convention of the American Numismatic association was called to order in Douglas hall at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, by President George F. Heath, of Monroe, Mich., a number of standing committees were appointed, and the convention, after adopting a new constitution and by-laws, adjourned until afternoon, when the annual address of the president was delivered.

He Loves the Hand That Smote Him.

BANGKOK, Aug. 22.—The king of Siam on Sunday gave an audience to M. Le Myre de Vilers, the special envoy of France, who is charged with the arrangement of the details of the settlement between Siam and France. The king renewed his assurances of friendship for France and expressed the hope that the present amicable relations between the two countries would continue.

Mary Was Left Out.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 22.—The will of the late Hamilton Griffin, the stepfather of Mary Anderson, was admitted to probate yesterday morning in the county court. Dr. Griffin left all property, consisting of several houses and lots in various parts of the city, to his wife and at her death to his four children. It is noticeable that no bequest whatever is made to his stepdaughter, Mary Anderson Navarro.

The French Elections.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—Up to this hour, 5 p. m., the returns show the election of 46 conservatives, 24 conservative rallies and 33 republicans. Included among the successful candidates who term themselves republicans are 87 radicals, 50 liberals, 15 socialists, 8 revisionists and 2 revolutionists.

Large Return for Small Investment

Pepper boxes, 2 cents; nutmeg grater 5 cents; basting spoons, 4 and 5 cents; mincing knives, 5 to 25 cents each, at Bartholomew's great clearing sale.

Are You Wanting for a Brush?

Scrub brushes, 5, 10, 15 and 20 cents; blacking brushes, 15c that sell everywhere for 25c, at E. D. Bartholomew's.

Blue Mound News.

Elijah Sprague, of Lowell, O., is visiting his nephew and nieces, J. C. and Miss Ceola Sprague and Mrs. H. L. Spooner. Mr. Sprague is 75 years old but don't look to be over 60. He lives in the same house he was born in and expects it to be his home as long as he lives.

Ernest Stewart, 12 years old, who lives with Walter Turner, two miles north of Blue Mound, was thrown by a pony Sunday morning, which resulted in breaking both bones of his left arm about midway between the wrist and elbow. Dr. Foster went out and set and bandaged the broken arm. The boy was not otherwise injured.

The Misses Myrtle Crow and Anna Spooney and Mr. Joseph Flynn went to Decatur Monday to attend the institute.

Dr. Foster while occupying Rev. J. W. Strawn's pulpit Sunday and when about midway in his discourse was called to attend the boy whose arm was broken, proceeded at once to the relief of the patient, leaving the meeting in charge of the elders.

At the close of the services at the Christian church Sunday Miss Gertrude Adams went forward, gave her hand to Elder Farnesworth and made the "good profession," and at 4 o'clock she was baptized by Dr. Foster.

Elder E. A. Gilliland began a protracted meeting at Morgansville Monday evening. August 22.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

CHICAGO, Ill., August 21, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Opening.	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Aug	....	....	....	61⅛
Sep	62⅝	62¼	61⅝	61¾
Dec	69⅝	70⅛	69⅛	69⅛
CORN—				
Aug	38	....	....	38
Sep	38⅝	38⅝	38⅛	38¼
Dec	....	....	....	....
May	41	41⅛	41	41
OATS—				
Aug	....	....	....	23⅝
Sept	24	24	23⅝	23⅞
May	30	30	29⅝	29⅞
PORK—				
Sep	12 75	12 80	12 75	12 80
Jan	....	....	....	....
LARD—				
Sep	8 25	....	....	8 25
Oct	....	....	....	....
Jan	....	....	....	....
RIBS—				
Sep	8 00	8 00	7 92	7 92
Oct	....	....	....	....

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 176, Contract, —.
Corn, all grades, 1017; Contract, —.
Oats, all grades, 531, Contract, —.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 15,000; $4 75@$5 50. Steady.
Cattle 5,000, Steady.

Puts on Sept wheat..... 61⅛
Calls " " " 62⅛
Puts " Sept corn..... 38⅛
Calls " " " 38½

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 90. Corn, 300 Oats, 235.
Hogs 2,800.

Sept. wheat opened at 61⅞ to 62⅜, which was the highest point for the day, closes at 61¾. Wheat somewhat depressed owing to lower cables and depression of English markets, and free offerings of Russian wheat. Still lower prices expected.

Sept. corn opened at 38⅝ and closes at 38¼. Weakness in corn is attributed to large receipts of 1017 cars and good rains at all points west of the Mississippi river. Iowa state bulletin reports the fall of rain sufficient to insure a good crop of corn.

No trade in provisions, pork opened $12.75 and closed $12.80. New York exchange is $5 to-day.

Live Stock Market.

ST LOUIS—Cattle—Export steers, $4 30@5 10, good to choice, $4.00@4.80; butchers' $2 85@4 00 Hogs—Packing, $5 05@5 10. Butchers, hogs, $5 15@5 85; Yorkers, $5.50@5 80. Sheep—Prices range at $3 25@4 25; spring lambs, $3.50 per cwt.

HORSES.

Heavy draft, good to extra	$ 75 00 to	$125 00
Streeters	65 00 to	85 00
Drivers, good to extra	75 00 to	140 00
Saddlers, good to extra	75 00 to	125 00
Matched teams, good to extra	125 00 to	275 00
MULES.		
15 hands, extra, 4 to 7 years	75 00 to	90 00
15½ hands, extra, 4 to 7 years	100 00 to	120 00
16½ hands, 4 to 7 years	50 00 to	60 00
16 to 16½ hands, extra, 4 to 7 years	120 00 to	150 00

CHICAGO—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000 head, of which 4,500 were Texans and 4,000 westerns; good natives, 10@15c higher, others, dull. Texans, weak; westerns, 10c lower; top natives, $5.00@5.35; good to choice, $4 40@4.90; medium, $3.85@4.35; common, $2.85@3.60. cows, $1.00@3 00; Texans, $2.80@3 30; westerns, $2 20@4 00. Hogs—Receipts, 23,000 head; 15@25c higher; mixed and packing, $5.10@5.40; prime heavy, $5.35@5.55; butchers, $5 50@5.75, light, $5.60@5 90. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 13,000 head; good natives and lambs strong, westerns steady, natives, $2.25@4.00; westerns, $2.50@3.15; Texans, $2.00@2.75; lambs, $3.00@5.00.

KANSAS CITY—Cattle—Dressed beef and shipping steers, $3.50@5.00; native cows, $1.00@3.40; Texas steers, $2.80@3.80. Texas and Indian cows, $1.60@2.85; stockers and feeders, $4.20. Hogs—Best hogs ranged higher than Saturday; bulk of sales at $4 95@5 80, all grades. $4.25@5.65.

CINCINNATI—Hogs—Lower; heavy at $4.00@5.20.

Cotton.

Quotations for middling range as follows: St. Louis, 7 1-16c; New York, 7 5-16c; New Orleans, 6 15-16c; Memphis, 6⅞c; Galveston, 6⅞.

Financial.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Money on call is easy at 4@5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 8@12 per cent. Sterling exchange is firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 483@483¼ for sixty days, and 487¼@488 for demand. Posted rates, 484@489. Commercial bills, 481@487. Bar silver, 74. Government bonds strong. State bonds dull. Railroad bonds firmer. Stocks reacted ¼ to 1 per cent after 11 o'clock, but at the decline speculation became dull, and toward noon the bulls again took hold and put up prices all round. The offerings were small throughout. General Electric sold up to 41½; Burlington & Quincy to 77; Chicago Gas to 71¼; Lake Shore to 134 and Western Union to 78⅞. At noon the market was strong.

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